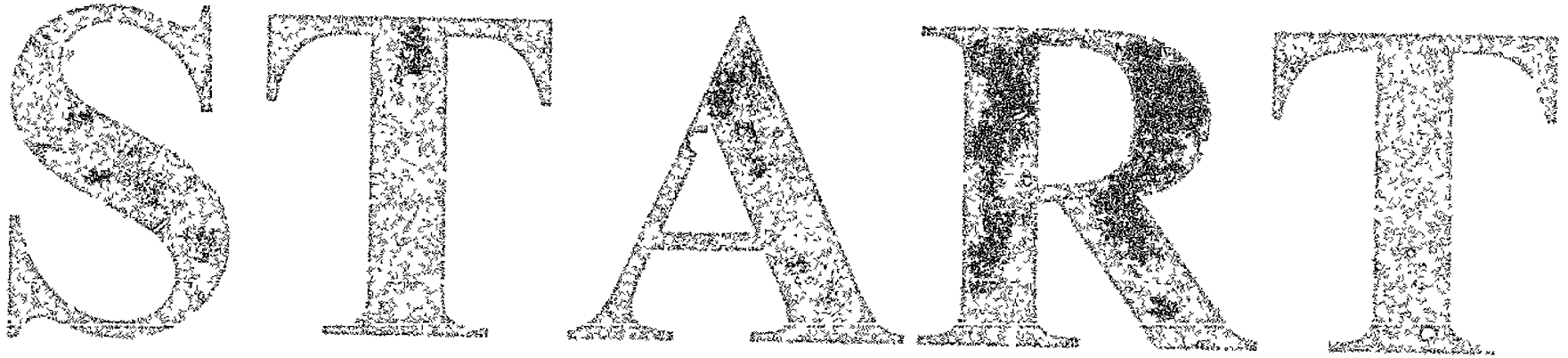
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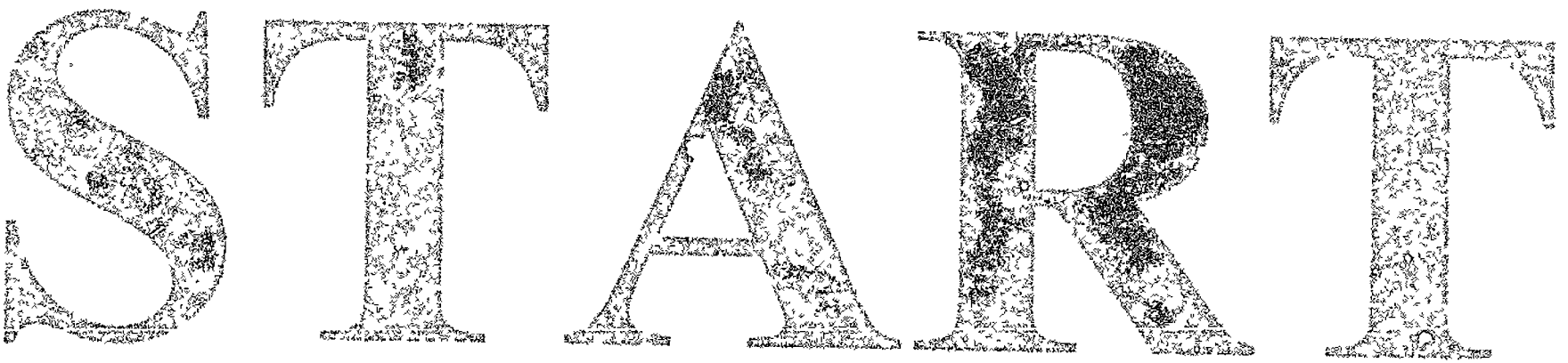
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Portuguese original letter

Bantam

12th October 1767

Translation of a letter from Captain August Brenneis to Governor Pitt

Bantam 12th October 1767

Sir

Since my arrival here I have not had the honour of writing to you, which I now do to inform you that I have taken the command of the Ship Princess Augusta, and that I am ready to depart for Europe, but as I have not been able to get my full complement of men, I am obliged to wait for them, and as I am informed that the Dutch Ships are to sail in a few days, I have thought proper to write to you, to desire you will be pleased to order the Chief of Bantam to send me the men that are due from the Ship Princess Augusta, which I left at Batavia, and I am in hopes that you will be pleased to grant me this favour, as I am in want of men, and I shall be glad to receive your commands for any thing you may want from Europe, and I am with great respect

Sir

Your most obedient humble servant

August Brenneis

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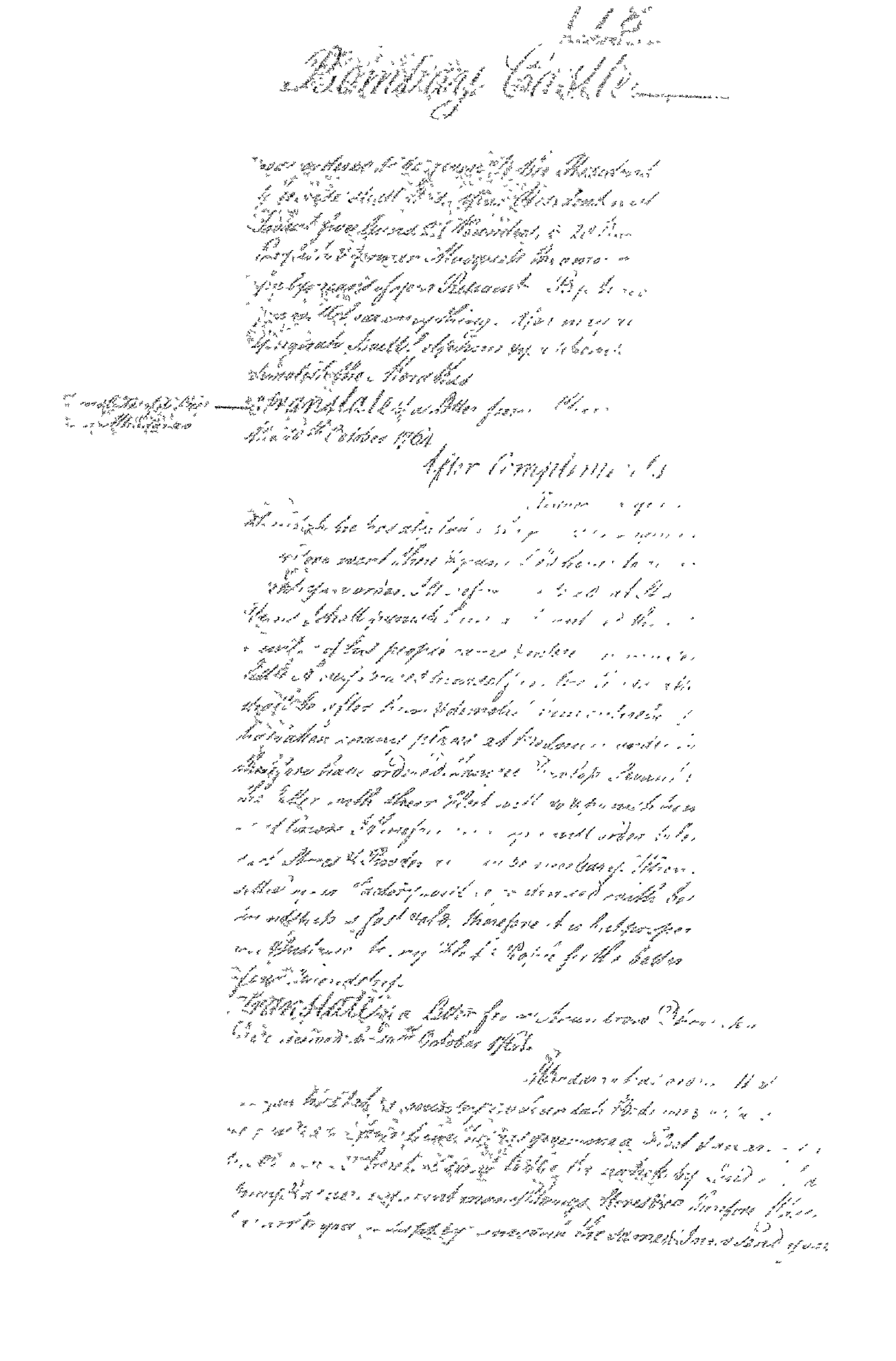

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the 10th October 1701

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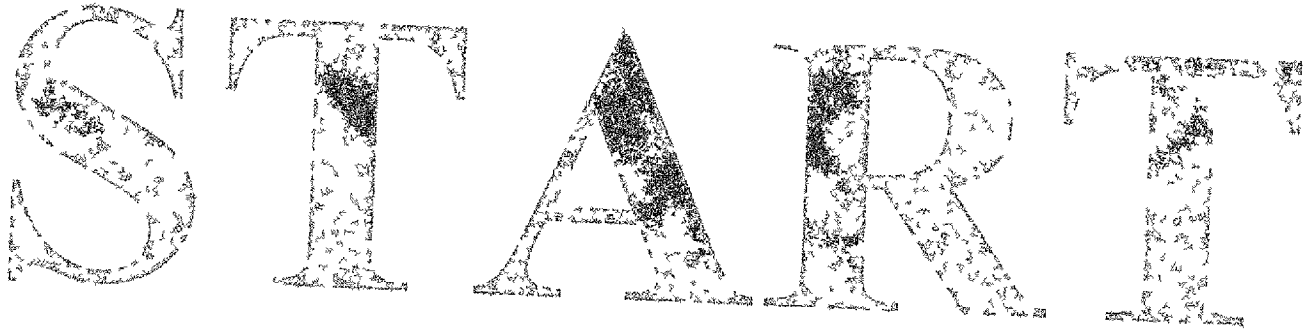
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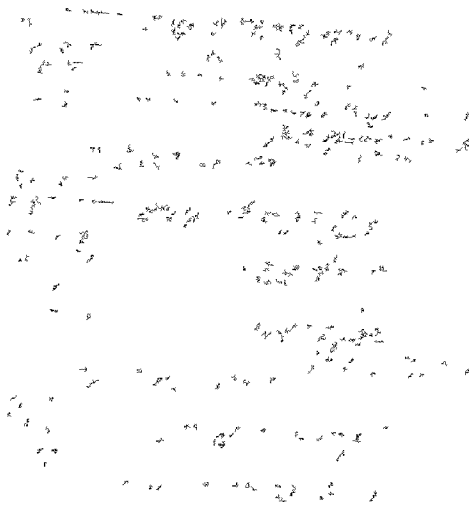

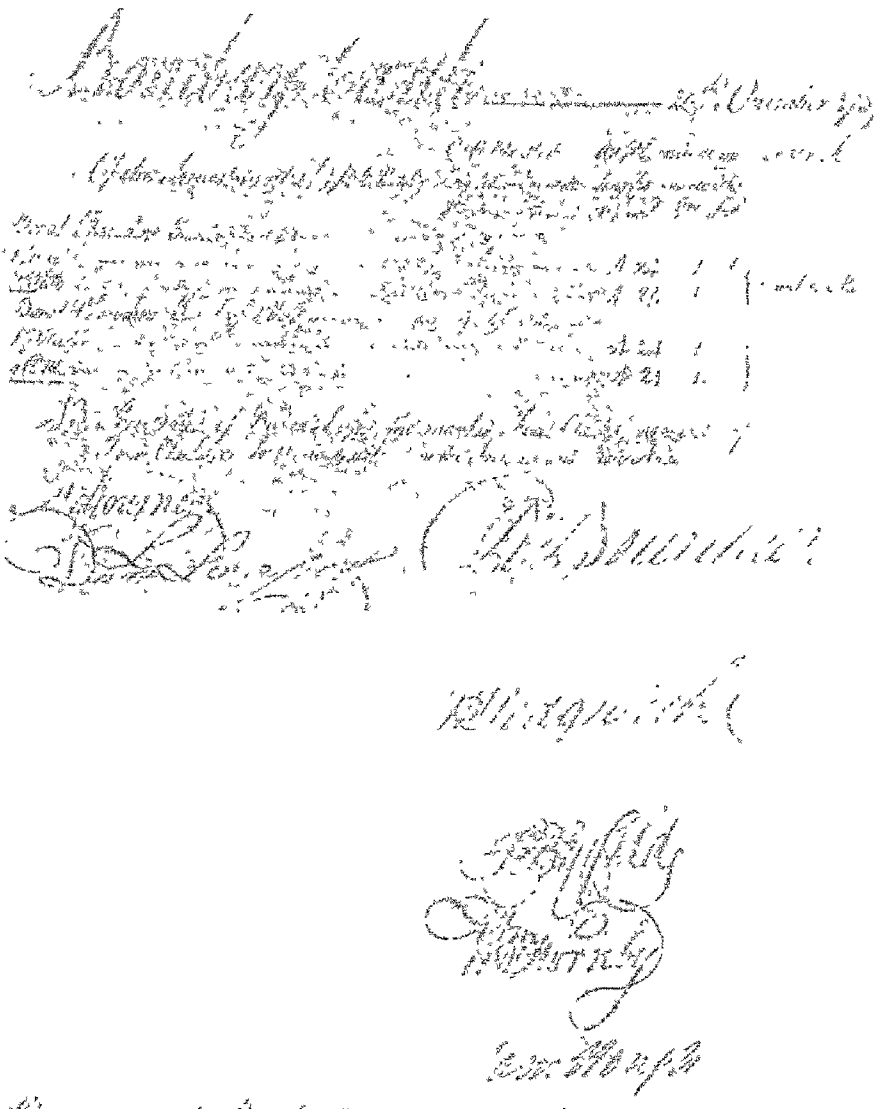

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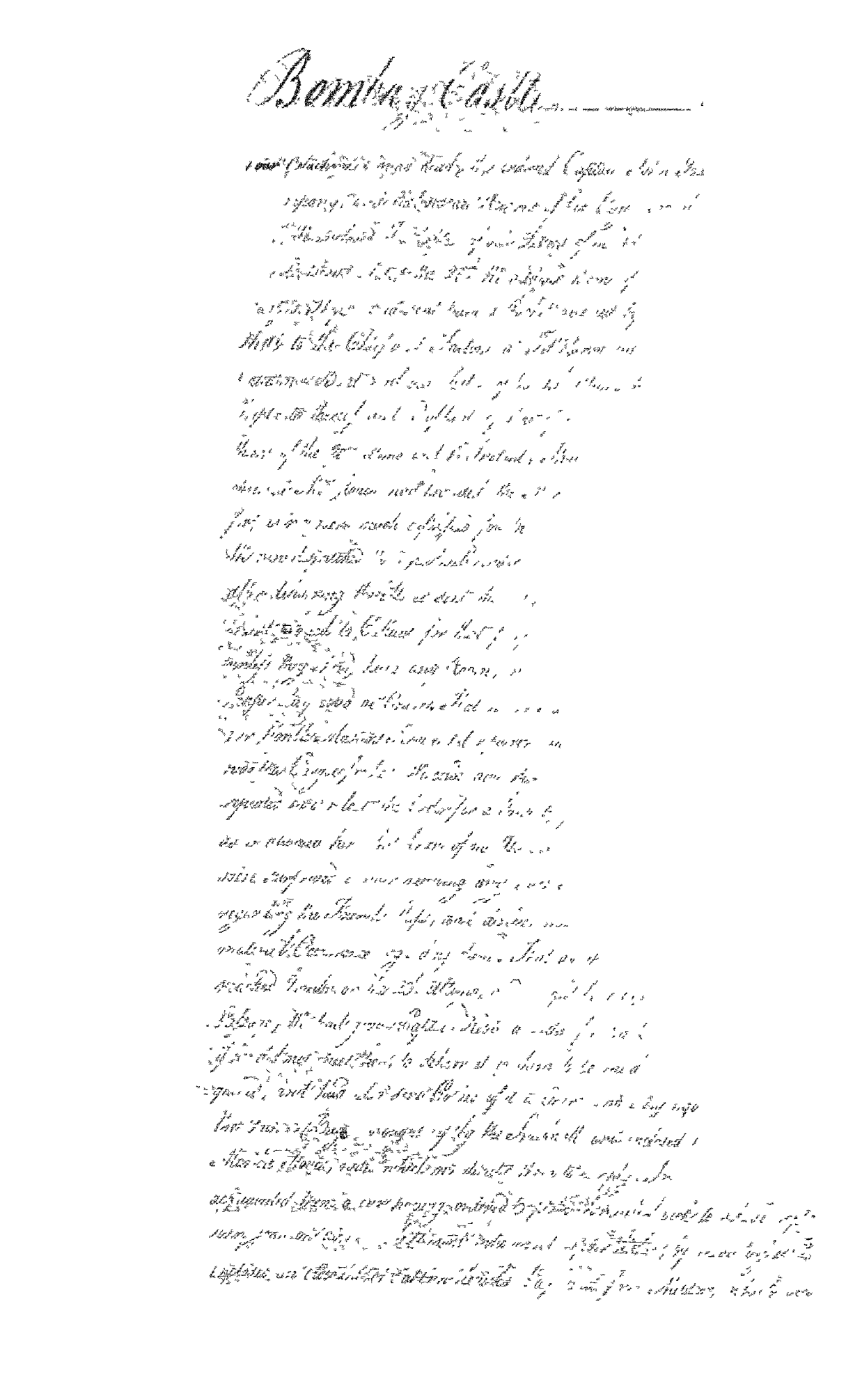

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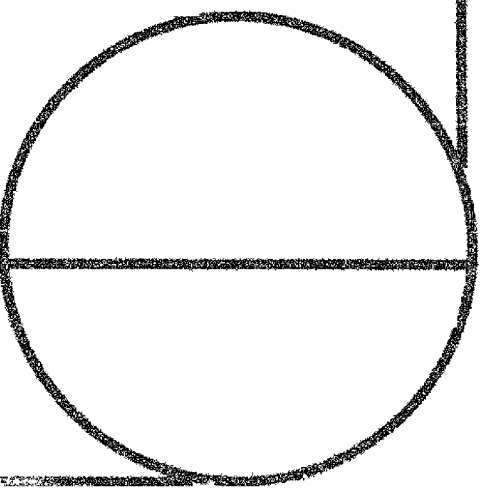

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Dictionnaire

Bombay Castle ____ the 22nd 1781

as for distressing the Enemy to the Utmost [illegible] Embarked on the Troops to be delivered into their Hands but if otherwise they must be returned to the [illegible] Engagee Vessels whom the Resident advises of the Terms as Security of it being made good

Letter from the Resident to the Board

Leave sufficient Guard on the Place should the Ships be able to deliver it up without Authority

Whereupon the Resident in his Letter delivers of Rance at the same time with the Portuguese Ships he should not have sufficient Force on Shore & Victuall'd till the End of October

Chore Letter from Read

Read the Letter from the Resident at Chore which being very considerable Remarks were made & Resolutions taken thereon

Whereas the Rabobi Cafila [illegible] ing our Allies and suffering our Enemies to get help in sending the Bussora Effect Peppr and Betel Nuts from Bussora River and the Resolutions we have taken out of the Letter Advices, it would be highly imprudent [illegible] Enemy with Stores of any Sort, The Resident must not therefore suffer any Ship being sufficiently [illegible] any Warlike Implement whatever by any Vessel the Honble Company's Protection

Resident not to permit the Rabobi being furnished with Ships or Warlike Stores

Should a Rupture take Place with the Nabob the Resident must be directed to take every Precaution in his Power for the Security of the Honble Company's Property under his Charge for which purpose we have ordered the Chief of Thalcherry to give him immediate Advice of the Event and Case of its taking Place

In case of a Rupture with the Nabob the Honble Company's Property

While Affairs are in this precarious Situation we cannot by any Means think of complying with the Residents for more Rupees more especially as the Ballance of Cash is insufficient to pay for the Pepper he has a Promise of from the Sounda Country even allowing that he gets it which seems to be very doubtfull the Pagodas settled Treasury must

No Supply of Rupees can be sent him

Bombay Castle 14th April 1757

as for distressing the Enemy to the Utmost — The Procession must be Conducted with Revenge to be delivered up in Case the Nabob pays but if otherwise they must be returned to the Presidency with Pungaye Palves and what Treasure has been received to the Credit and Security of it being made good

If possible the President will be able to deliver up Place at their return with Fort Augustus but if he should not be able must then leave a sufficient Garrison therein & victuall it till the End of October

Leave an sufficient Garrison there when they return with the Fort Augustus if they be able to deliver it up

Read the Letter above written from the President at Surat which being duly considered the following Remarks were made & Resolutions taken thereon

Surat

From the Nabobs late Conduct in attacking our Allies and suffering our Privileges to be infringed by permitting the British to export Pepper and Sandal Wood thro' Bellia patan River and the Resolutions we have taken in Consequence of those Advices, it would be highly inconsistent in us to furnish him with Stores of any kind — The Peons must not therefore procure Ships being supplied with Stores or any Warlike Implements whatever by any one under the Bombay Company's Protection

The President with Peons from the Nabob being permitted to purchase Ships or other Stores

Should a Rupture take place with the Nabob the President must be directed to take every precaution in their Power for the Security of the Bombay Company Property under his Charge for which purpose we have ordered the Chief Factors at Tellicherry to give him an immediate Force of this Event in Case of its taking place

In Case of a Rupture with the Nabob the President must take Care of the Company's Property

While Affairs are in this precarious Situation we cannot by any Means think of complying with the President's request especially as the Ballance of Cash in sufficient to pay for the Pepper he has Provided from the Second Instant Counting even allowing that he gets it when we must tell very plainly that the Pagodas in the Treasury must

It is impossible to comply with his Request by not sending him

Bombay Castle [illegible] the [illegible] April 1761

[illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] should not [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] till the [illegible] October.

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From the Nabobs [illegible] our [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] in consequence of these [illegible], it would be highly inconsistent [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] any [illegible] Insult whatever by any one under the Honble Company's protection.

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Should a Rupture take place with the Nabob the Resident must be directed to take every precaution [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of the Honble Company's property [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] purpose, we have ordered the [illegible] [illegible] to give him immediate Notice of this [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] place.

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While Affairs are in this precarious Situation we cannot by any Means think of Complying with the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] especially as his [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] that he gets [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Bombay Castle 29 April 1766

Helena Letters — The Letter to the Governor & Council at St Helena was sent per by to enclose Invoice & Bill of lading of Rice & sundry Cadan on the Hazewood for them the amounting to £ 366.1.28

Tellicherry — The Letter to the Chief & Council at Tellicherry acknowledges the Receipt of
Wm to — their's of the 10th & 11th Instant acquainting them that the Ann was put in
to their Place to compleat her Chunam Party, Tonnage with the Apparatus
Carcamones which they were to have and despatch her to the Coast
from to Great Britain & Directing them that Mess.rs Biggs & Thomas
ceased to their Assistance by their Visit and directing not to grant to Bellamy the
Private Company Liberty for passing Chunam. Recommending Commis
sions for the Lieut.s of their Garrison & advising the Resolutions taken by
of the Company's Charter to make a Distinction between the first & second
Lieutenants of Infantry & acquainting them that one Sergeant, one Corporal &
twenty five Private men were embarked on the Ship to reinforce their
Garrison

Tellicherry — The Letter to them in answer to their's of the 20th Instant
to Bombay — Ship's Port the Letter of Advice & Invoice from them of
Sundrys

Bombay 30. — The Ship Ann arrived & delivered our Packet to be transmitted to the
Honble the Court of Directors per Hazewood
Received per Express Boat a Letter from the Chief & Factors at
Tellicherry and one from the Resident at Anjengo

Anjengo to us — The former was dated the 16th Instant & answered Receipt of our
Letter of the 10th & 11th & acquainted us that they had not the least Prospect
of their Remaining at Peppers they intended to remain upon the first
Conveyance & enclosed a Copy of their Consult. Hons Proceedings regarding Receipt for the Pepper
delivered up to Prince They informed us that the Ship had received a Letter from
Bengal Agency containing a Grant for the free Importation of 300
Bales of Pepper from Tellicherry, whereon they had made Application for their
Release and Repossession but upon Agency pursuing Manner for the Honble
Company Be recommended particularly desirous of having an Interview
with the Chief which we could not with Prudence be recorded they
had agreed to their Request. Mr William Sommerville was by Tellicherry
Council & Consultation sent to relieve the Chief & Mr Sommerville
to Anjengo as Factor. We in answer to their Letter found their Value
Extremely well satisfied to serve as our Employers and take Care of their
Interest but by reason the Place pitched upon for our Habitation
is upon the Sea Shore the other Side of the River opposite to
Anjengo who are strangely used & Hindered by the
Natives, engaging with them a proper Recompence for their Labour

Bombay Castle —— 29. April 1766

St Helena Letter to — The Letter to the Governour & Council at St Helena was passed [illegible] enclosing them [illegible] receipt Bill of lading of the [illegible] laden on the Bridgwater for the [illegible] amounting to Rs 366.1.23

Tellicherry Letter to — The Letter to the Chief & Council at Tellicherry, acknowledging the receipt [of] theirs of the 10th Instant & acquainting them that the Bridgwater was proceeding to their place to complete her Charterparty Tonnage with Pepper and Cardamons which they were to use due dispatch her [illegible] to Great Britain [illegible] We advised them that Messrs Biggs [illegible] caused to them [illegible] by the Chief and directed [illegible] to grant Bills on the Hon'ble Company [illegible] Commission for the [illegible] of the Company [illegible] no distinction between the first & second Lieutenants of Infantry & acquainted them that one Serjeant, one Corporal & twenty five private men were embarked on the Ship to reinforce their Garrison

Sailing Orders to the Commander of the Bridgwater — The Sailing Orders to the Commander of the Bridgwater [illegible] in the [illegible]

— [illegible] Mr William [illegible] from [illegible]

[illegible] closed and delivered our packet to be transmitted to the Hon'ble the Court of Directors by Bridgwater

Received Per Express Boats a Letter from the Chief & Factors at Tellicherry and one from the Resident at Onore

The former was dated the 6th Inst and covered Receipts for our letter [illegible] 19th Ult [illegible] that as they had [illegible] the least [illegible] of any of their Remains of Effects, they intended to remit them safely by the first Conveyance, & enclosed [illegible] Receipts for the [illegible] delivered [illegible] to them. They informed us that the Chief had received a Letter from Ayder Ally Cawn [illegible] a Grant for the free [illegible] exportation of 3000 Bales of Rice from Mangulore, wherein he [illegible] for their Behaviour & Expressed himself in a very friendly Manner to the Hon'ble Company. He seemed particularly desirous of having an Interview with the Chief, which as it could not with Prudence be avoided, they had agreed to [illegible] deputed Mr William Townsend attended by [illegible] Commandant [illegible] upon him to deliver the Chief's letter and [illegible] Mr Townsend [illegible] found the Nabob extremely well disposed towards our Employers and satisfied of [illegible] professed meeting the Chief on the other side of the River opposite to [illegible] who accordingly [illegible] attended by Mr [illegible] Sparks carrying with him a [illegible] Present [illegible] &c.

Bombay Castle 29. April 1665

Wm Lewis — The Letters to the Governor & Council at Surat were forwarded by the Lewis Pinnace, with Bills of Lading of Rice & Sundry Goods on board for the Account of the Company

Wm Lewis Letters to — The Letters to the Right Honble Earl of Clarendon Lord Chancellor, Duke of Albemarle, Earl of Sandwich, Lord Berkeley, Lord Ashley, Sir George Carteret, Sir William Coventry, Sir Robert Long, Sir Thomas Clifford, Sir Thomas Osborne, Sir Philip Warwick, Sir Robert Southwell, Sir Edward Nicholas, Sir Edward Walker, Sir Thomas Chicheley, Sir Thomas Ingram, Sir Thomas Allen, Sir Thomas Teddiman, Sir Jeremy Smith, Sir Christopher Mings, Sir John Lawson, Sir Joseph Jordan, Sir Edward Spragge, Sir Robert Holmes, Sir Thomas Harvey, Sir Thomas Lyttleton, Sir Thomas Littleton, Sir Thomas Strickland, Sir Thomas Bludworth, Sir Thomas Allin, Sir Thomas Allen, Sir Thomas Teddiman, Sir Jeremy Smith, Sir Christopher Mings, Sir John Lawson, Sir Joseph Jordan, Sir Edward Spragge, Sir Robert Holmes, Sir Thomas Harvey, Sir Thomas Lyttleton, Sir Thomas Littleton, Sir Thomas Strickland, Sir Thomas Bludworth, Sir Thomas Allin

Sailing Orders to the Commanders of the Convoy — The Sailing Orders to the Commanders of the Convoy were signed as the Letters were sealed

Wm Lewis — Sent with the Lewis Pinnace from Bombay to Surat

Wm Lewis — 30. All the Boats and Lighters were ordered to the Waterside to the Boards of Directors & Council

Received of Capt. Boats Letters from the Colony & Factors relating to their Proceedings

The Letters were delivered, & the Captains ordered to Sail with the first Fair Wind & Weather, & Mr Thomas Langwith appointed for the Pinnace Lewis to Attend the Service of the Fleet

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Wm Lewis — 10. The Letters were delivered, & the Captains ordered to Sail with the first Fair Wind & Weather, & Mr Thomas Langwith appointed for the Pinnace Lewis to Attend the Service of the Fleet

Bombay Castle 29 April 1766

Wednesday — The Select Committee met

Thursday — The Select Committee met

Friday — Fort William

Saturday — The Select Committee met

Wednesday 30 — The Select Committee met

Thursday May 1st — The Select Committee met

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Bombay Castle

Nabobs Fine Letters in the most strong Terms
Money Instalments to make the Gentlemen
Singworth that Gentleman with Power to settle
Angria on Solemn Ramyee Pawar & others with
an Satisfactory Manner what that Could not
fied with, They observed that the Nabob
Meeting the Chief was composed of most
which were Shastri Ally Ally Rayan
they were Convinced would take every
Bombay Company Affairs & which they
Nabobs Chief Secretary to Interpret
not design or want that Instrument would be
rably Wright those Men have with them
Company's Prejudice, Therefore wonder
Interest to Argue them at this important
deed would have been the best Method
value as would have been made to
Employers. They had directed
the delivery of a Considerable Quantity
receiving the Ring of Cobolds Brass
unwarrantable for the Cobolds of
release. That the Nabobs Refusal
fancied by Shastri Ally proposed to
Correspondence, which they had
them Argument, as they appeared
& Factors was made to them
small Stock of that Article to spare
sorry to observe that they had
gratefully appeared thereat from
settle any Point he was left with
his request been complied with
able Method of securing those
not decide themselves authorised
your Commands of the 16th September last. They were Convinced
them having Accepted a Confirmation of the Grants from the
several Country Powers Contrary to our Interests from
Inclosure this Year not having reached them sooner Notwithstanding
the Contents of your Letters they

Barnbay Castle

Vade Ed[ward] Barnbay to the Castle by the
Sharks Alley to visit the Brothers, and
long with that Gentleman made for the
purpose to release Hanger Barnbay and
on a Satisfactory Examination Committee
pleased with, they ordered that the
Meeting the Chief was composed of most other Gen[tlemen] to
which were Shark Alley Ally Royal Com[pany] for
they were Convinced would take every Method for
Benefit Company's Affairs which they
Nabobs not Choosing to Take upon themselves
not to Ignorant that Just Debt would ever be taken off the
noble Wright these Merchants with the hands of the Commissioners
Company Engineers, Bethmore ordered as was not
Interest to Just Sum which Important
deed would have been had he finally Shark Alley
sale as would have been made to him on behalf from
Employers. They had Secret Com[mittee]
the delivery of a Bonus valuable Quantity of Pepper formerly the Nabobs from
rendering the King of Cochin Shark all Commissioners to them
made for the Preservation of their Country Power to Company
advance. Matthew Nabobine after the Two principal Members
Shark Alley for Purpose to Secret Chief of the Bonus
Gun powder, which they had under Convoy with out
them any, as they were satisfied with the Power that they
& Doctors had made to them of the Company of their Power from the
Small Stock of Real Nabobs to spare any Part thereof, that they
sorry to observe that they had Reason to suspect the Nabobs had
greatly exceeded thereat from Many Circumstances not being able
settle any Points here left with them for they were not to that
has request been complied with the words have been the most Effect
the Method of procuring their Advantages they applied for the Regard
not given them Committee authorised to grant the Company
of our Company of the Nabob last. They were Concerned
at their having Accepted the Confirmation of the Grants from the
several Country Powers Company to our Interests from
Pudicombe Bay not having reached them sooner, Motley of
the Ca[stle] [illegible]

Bombay Castle 31st August 1766

taking this Step, for as We had invited them to secure the persons the Nabob attacking Calliaud being president Government they had consequently a right to act in the same Manner upon his Extending his Conquests in that Country as there was little Probability from the Progress he was then making of their Ever being able any Opposition Comparable to it, & therefore they hoped we would approve their Conduct in that Respect & moreover hinted should there be made Peace with the Marattas before the Next June they would be careful to return upon the most favourable Footing - They acquainted us that the Nabob had on the 28th Ulto attacked the Camp of Cortimaddy where after a severe Engagement on both Sides many Principal Officers were obliged to retreat and return to Seringapatam where it is probable he might attempt to oppose the Nabob's further Progress but they do not think he would succeed that the Camp of Tippoo Sultan & Hyder Ghennah with the Family & Attendants had arrived to the Southward without receiving there many from whence they presumed he was gone to the King of Travancore having neglected Calling after he was pressed with it - Hastily we learnt the Samorine had made Proposals to the Nabob and offered him a Port of his Country provided he would lay aside all hostile Intentions towards him They upon mature Consideration Ally Rajahs having made many Attempts to persuade the Nabob to attack Tellicherry & as two Parties have been of particular Service to us, he the Nabob had taken great Notice of them that notwithstanding his Assurances to Messrs Sparke & Townsend that no disturbance should be committed in the Honble Companys Districts they were sorry to acquaint us their Subjects had experienced no inconsiderable Loss from the Troops particularly in the Purgunnah of Tellicherry where Houses were plundered and some of the Nadirs killed: all this had been represented to the Nabob but had given no other Reparation than acquainting them such Proceedings were without his Consent They informed us that an Ambassador had purchased twelve Thousand Pagodas Value of Rice at Mangalore of the Nabobs for Grant & as he was much Wanted to assist in the Business of the Settlement they had recalled him from Mangalore & directed the Dingust there to compleat the Quantity wanted They observed to us that our Orders respecting Shipping being sent to the Nabob should be strictly obeyed & informed us that the Owners of the Sobeby could not agree with him for the Sale of her that they

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taking this Step for as Withdrawing these Governors the same as the Nabobs attacking Callian & seizing it was the first Government they had Consequently acted in the same Manner upon his Returning his Conquests in that Country as there was little Probability from that Progress he was then making of his Meeting with any Opposition Capable of Stopping the same they signified we would approve their Conduct in this Respect provided no more than should then be made use of for their Preservation but in the Meantime they would be careful to return upon their most amicable Footing — They acquainted us that the Nabob had on the 28th Ulto Attacked the Troops of Corriamadan whom after a severe Engagement on both Sides Several of their principal Officers was obliged to retreat and retire to Rajapore, where it is probable he might attempt to oppress the Nabob, but as which from his severe Loss in the first Engagement they are not therefore under any Concern. That Meeting of Regulations Dewan Hyder Ly Chemical Secretary & Attendants had went to the Corriamadan without receiving them Terms from whence they proceeded to wait on the King of Travancore & having received Advice of his having passed Callian That they had heard the Samorine had made Proposals to the Nabob and offered him a Port of the Country provided he would lay aside all hostile Intentions towards him. They acquainted us of Ally Rajahs having made many Attempts to persuade the Nabob to attack Tellicherry & as his Troops had been of particular Service to him the Nabob had taken great Notice of him. That notwithstanding the Assurances to Messrs Sparke & Townsend that no Disturbance should be Committed on the Dutch Company's Districts, they were sorry to acquaint us their Subjects had experienced numberless Insults from his Troops particularly in the Province of Attingal & Varkah where Houses were plundered and some of their Vadys killed & as this has been represented to the Nabob he has given no other Reparation than acquainting them such Reasonings were without his Consent. They informed us that an Account was shortly expected to arrive from Mangalore of the Nabobs forces Crossing the Ghauts & as he was much wanted to assist in the Business of the Establishment they had recalled him from Mangalore & directed the Subadar there to compleat the Quantity of Rice they assured us that our Orders respecting Shipping Rice to the Nabob would be strictly obeyed & informed us that the Owners of the Solebay could not agree with him for the Sale of her — That they [illegible]

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taking the oath of fidelity &c. and invested them however with the same robes of Nobility as Gallantry had procured in that Government they had Correspondents in their Duty to retain the same Manner upon this Occasion by the Conquest of that Country it was not a little Satisfaction from the Progress we were making that Hostilities were at an End Proposals of Negotiation were made by the Nabob which we thought would pave the Way to a Treaty but as they had been Guilty of Treachery & Perfidy before they should be careful not to rely upon the most solemn Ratification. They acquainted us that the Dow had on the 28th Ult. at Etchore the Army of Cornelia Cornelia with the Nabobs Engagement on both Sides was fought with Obstinacy & Resolution on Both Sides & Victory for a long time seemed undecided. But the Nabob's Troops were totally defeated with the Loss of their Artillery & Baggage & Provisions & Ammunition & Tents & Pagodas which fell into the Hands of the Victors. The Nabob's Troops were totally routed & dispersed & Cornelia with his Army & Attendants had well to be thankful to escape with their Lives from returning they pursued the Nabob to the King of Travancore having joined Forces with the Nabob & offered him Assistance if his Country provided he would lay aside all hostile Intentions towards them. They mentioned in a Letter Reply that having made many Attempts to persuade the Nabob to attack Tellicherry & as he had Troops in the Neighbourhood of particular Service to them he the Nabob had taken great Notice of them. That notwithstanding these Appearances Mr. Mahon & Co. received that no Assistance should be committed either to the Company's Interests, they were sorry to acquaint us that Hostilities had appeared and numerous Letters daily from their Troops particularly in the Province of Malabar & several Letters were intercepted & some of the Nabobs killed & all this had been represented to the Nabob but had given another Explanation than acquainting them with such Doings were without his Consent. They informed them that as Mr. Dalrymple was now purchased to relieve them and 1000 Peons & Horse & the Nabobs first Orders were he was immediately wanted to assist in the Business of the Settlement they had recalled him from Mangalore & desired the Nabob to consent that the Quantity of Grain they agreed upon that for in Order respecting the Settlement of the Nabob should be strictly observed & Information that the Remains of the Solebay Cruizer & Packet with Stores for the Isle of Sheer — That they [illegible]

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proposed to receive our Boats Masters Officers & Ballast who
us that lodging thereon the most Barbarous Inhumanity
every other danger but Robbery to prevent which they
Islands Commanded the seizure which they should
when they heard of the Nabobs having given Orders
positive Orders to keep them from Committing any
that might involve them in Trouble with the Country
That as the Sepoys landed from the Soldiery
Hardship of being detained there from their Families
the Name & as they were immediately Ready
them there as the Nabob had passed to the
proposed sending them to the Presidency
That since writing the foregoing they had received
thousand of the Nabobs troops leaving
these all the Houses on Pretence of this having been
Contraband Money had been lodged there but they had
been advised & intended to demand Redress
Company to that Prince this they had not heard of
hostilities against them - They acquainted us that the whole
Quantity of Sandal Wood for the Year had been
That their Remains of Pepper had entirely filled
that their Merchants had to the Amount of
in their own Bankers for which they
received They informed us that the Remains at
1118 Candies of Pepper @ 1018. 16. 23 & of Cloth 136 Bales
were sold of @ 25 23. 17 27 of Pepper @ 24. 10 of Cardamoms
The Letter here ends the 6th Inst. enclosing a Duplicate of
the 18th & acquainted us that he had then near 100 Candies of Pepper in
houses which would probably be increased to 1400 Cs. before the
of the Monsoon & that his Ballance of Cash was reduced to
30,000 & that he would draw for the Sum he had mentioned
last. He informed us that he had a few days ago received
Nabob & Successor of Bednore his Prime Minister acquainting
most pressing Terms a Supply of Military Stores
positive Terms of the Company late Orders on this
a Loss to Reply and begged our particular Instructions
Answer he was to make & now his Hands tied in case the Nabob
refused to answer any further Quantity of Pepper in consequence of
all Supplies of Military Stores being discontinued and enclosed
our Accounts

Sailed

S. Bombay Castle 30th [illegible]

proposed however our Humble Motion [illegible]
us that lodging Information the same Bank had under [illegible]
were offered a large Sum of Money to procure [illegible]
Seamen Commanding ships then in the Road they [illegible]
when they heard of the Nabob being in that Bay [illegible]
position Orders to depart in pursuit & [illegible]
that might involve them in trouble with the Country [illegible]
That as the Ships loaded from the Salsette road [illegible]
Hardship of being detained there from their [illegible]
the Rains & as they were no immediate Prospect of [illegible]
them there as the Nabob had passed to the South [illegible]
proposed ordering them to the Bombay [illegible]
That since writing the foregoing they had [illegible]
Thousands of the Nabobs Troops having encamped [illegible]
close all the Bounds on Pretence of their having been [illegible]
Contumacious Money had been lodged there but they [illegible]
were advised & hereunto desired to demand the Debt due by the Honble
Company to that Prince & they have accordingly [illegible]
Bostid[illegible] against them They acquainted us that the whole
Quantity of Sandal Wood for the Use [illegible]
their Remains of Pepper was entirely filled their Warehouses and
that their Merchants had to the Amount of their Advance [illegible]
on their own Bonds for being returned whenever they [illegible]
received Hey informed us that the Remaining Pepper [illegible]
1111 Candies of Pepper & 1018 16,234 of Cloth 336 Bales Red Wood & [illegible]
Quantity of & 2323 1728 of Pepper & 21 16 & 8 and as soon as Vessels [illegible]
Hon. Settler Comm. at the Malabar Coast & Duplicate of this Packet [illegible]
the 18th Inst. & acquainted us that he had then near 1111 Candies of Pepper
but as he did not suppose it would probably be increased to 1400 Candies before the Setting
of the Monsoon & that the Balance of Cash was reduced to less than
30,000 & that he would at the earliest Opportunity remit the Sum he had received for our Use
last. He informed us that he had a few days ago received Letters from the
Navab & Subahdar of Bengal from Durbar Minister assuring us the
most pressing Terms & Supply of Military Stores but that from the
Gentlemen in Charge of the Company late Orders on this Subject there was
no Loss to supply and begged our particular Instructions as to what
Answer he was to make & how he should Act in Case the Nabob
refused to deliver any further Quantity of Pepper in Consequence of
all Supplies of Military Stores being discontinued and enclosed
sundry Accounts

[illegible]

Proceedings

Bombay Gazette

Friday 25 [illegible]

Saturday 26 [illegible]

Bombay Castle, 16th July 1776

[illegible] the proper Advices, the Chief was [illegible] Contractors concerning what they could [illegible] dispose with after the Commencement of the [illegible] obliged to draw Bills for 40,000 Rupees [illegible] count and requested it would be [illegible] Bills under [illegible] Reputed deduction as soon as possible

Friday 13. Came in the Royal Admiral from Port Augustus
— Sailed the Shattenan to Bassa Road to Bengal
— The Chief and Council at Surat being in want of money President sent to the Shroffs to enquire whether Bills were procurable and at what Exchange, when they offered him to the amount of one Lack at the rate of 101 ½ Bombay for 100 Surat Rupees half to be paid in cash and half in current Rupees which being the most favourable Terms to be had and it being absolutely necessary to send them a supply the Board concurred in accepting them

Saturday 14. Imparted the Resolutions from Surat to the Defiance and Revenge from Onore and Port Augustus
— Received per Drake a Letter from the Chief & Council at Surat, a Letter one from the President at Onore & one from the President at Port Augustus as another from the Letter per Revenge
— That from the Chief and Council at Surat bore date the 15th June in which they had drawn on the Directors 35 Bales, Invoice cost amounting to Rupees 9,01,[illegible]6. That they returned the Commands we had sent them up [illegible], executed in triplicate their Counterparts, That they had appointed a Committee to draw out a set of Regulations for the Marine a Copy of which when delivered they said should be transmitted hither, They sent us a List that the Captors of the Portuguese taken from the Dutch requested they might be sold, they therefore requested Orders also our Directions in regard to the Royal Tower in the Castle, that Cowajee Coppistone was returned to this Port and that they had enclosed sundry Accounts for last Month's the Contract for the new Investment
— That from the President at Onore was dated the 21st ultimo in which he acquainted us of our Letter of the 15th ult and that he should do [illegible] in his power to prevent the Honble Company from [illegible] a Rupture with the Nabob, tho he observed it would be impossible for him during the [illegible] of the Honble Company's Affairs [illegible] Nabob's unreasonable Demands [illegible]

Bombay Castle 10th May 1758

[illegible] the proper Duties on the Goods [illegible] and the Directors Commands, that there could not be any Reason [illegible] such Exemption in the Instance of Mr Watts's Account and requested We would direct the [illegible] stay'd for as soon as possible

Friday 23d Came on the Royal Admiral from Bengal

Sailed the Shark Edward Mc Cartie Bound to Bengal

The Chief and Council at Surat by an Express Packet sent to Gombroon to enquire whether Bills on Europe could be procured and at what Exchange, with Authority to draw for the Amount of one Lack of the Rate of 131p Surat Rupees 100 the Bills to be paid current and half a current Rupee which is the most favourable Terms to be had and at being absolutely necessary to send them a Supply, the Board entered into Agreement for accepting them

Saturday 24 Imported the Dorcheen from Surat to the Defiance and Revenge from Anjengo and Short Dispatches

Received by Drake a Letter from the Chief & Council at Surat & Defiance one from the President at Anjengo & one from the Master Shark an Invoice, and no other from the Factory by Sewerage

Extract of Letter from Surat That from the Chief and Council at Surat bore date the 18th Inst and advised That they had taken on the Dorcheen 15 Bales the Investment amounting to Rupees 9,01,000 That they returned all Answers we had sent them up, duly executed and examined their Contents, That they had appointed a Committee to draw up a Set of Regulations for the Presidency a Copy of which enclosed they desired we would communicate to them, They mention'd to us that the Buyers of the Goods taken from the Broker expected they might be sold, they therefore requested our Orders thereon & Directions in regard to the Royal Admiral in the Castle, That Cowjee Coppindar was returned to their place and that they had enclosed Sundry Accounts for Last Months Establishment for the new Appointments

Extract of Letter from Aug Thad from the President at Anjengo dated the 2d ult[imo] owning Receipt of our Letter of the 15th Inst and that he should use the utmost Endeavours to prevent the Mahratta Company from being quite ruined in case of a Rupture with the Nabob, that he observed that it would be impossible for him to keep the Money to remit us Account of the Mahratta Company's Effects, but that the Nabobs Orders were to be honoured by the Small

Mr Ottinger's Narrative

Back from Aurungabad, he left Mr Vaughan at Poonah to transact the Affairs of the Company & Despatches & proceeded himself to Bombay to Embark on board the Antelope he proceeded to Bombay to receive the Despatches from Mr Stewart which were detained by Contrary Winds, & he was obliged to make any Application to us for Stores &c for the Ships for the reasons mentioned in his Letter of the 1st Instant from on that Subject not following exactly with the Orders of His Majesty of such Ships, which he [illegible] & Thebarcour. That he had taken Bills to the Amount of Rupees 350,000 & Drafts amounting to Rupees 250,000 which [illegible] money required however was all he could take up here were Bankers 500 000 10 that [illegible] somewhat was afraid no Country Bills could be got for the Honble Company's Ships & Cargoes & Mr [illegible] is with his having a pretty large Sum of Money in Bankers Hands of Bills from Bombay from 6 to 800 000 Rupees about Once, that he should not have Specified in regard to the Bills not Rupees Orders to draw upon the Bankers & Gomastahs to Bombay, had not the Resolution of Council here which he then before hoped we would accompany but [illegible] last of Sunday Sum upby the first Opportunity that offered after [illegible] That he had drawn Bills to the amount of 300,000 Rupees, & would Credit the Company relative to Expences & the Supplies Gentlemen had passed that Place for Bombay this [illegible] this month. He enclosed his Bankers Accounts to the day mentioned his Remains of Cash to be Rupees 27,38,5 1 5 17

1st August Letter from

The first from the Resident at Poonah Enquiries made the 10th wherein he acquainted us of his having received altogether the amount of about Rupees 3,90,000 Expected to receive near 30,000 Rupees in two days for the Ballance proposed remaining for Company Dalwai to advance till more Money should be hoped would approve, That he had ordered the Defiance to make the best of her way hither having on board her 5 Officers with 24 Seamen & Artillery also 22 Barrells of Gun Powder & intended dispatching the Fox and Provision Brigg with 150 Lascars on board the next day

Sort Augustus Letter from

The other from that Gentleman bore date the 11th instant wherein he informed us that he had then received to the amount of Rupees 291,917-2-75 and that a Ballance was still due from the Bankers on account the first payment of Rupees 50,000-1-20 on not of which the Shares amounted to now him in hand 80,000

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had given him Concern though he flatter'd himself
towards the Honble Company & despatch
Privileges in the Countries
reciprocal marks of
future and he was appointed to
Nabob for the reasons we
him on that subject
able Necessity of such a Resolution
a Behaviour. That he
Defiance amounting to Rupees
Saunders acquainted him
there were Bandies
son he was afraid no Country
of the Honble Company's
us with his having
Bandies of Rupees
about Omore, That he
our Express Orders
to Bombay, had not
there which he therefore
full of sending them up by the first
his recovery. That he returned the
executed and
as that Gentleman had
of this month
joined his Remains of Cash
The first from the President
wherein he acquainted us of his having received
amount of about Rupees 320 000 Crs
Rupees in two Days for the Ballance
Jaga Dalvie to Bassein till it was
approve, that he had ordered the
her Mast
Cloathing and Artillery also
dispatches
Board the next day

Vide Gen. Letter from

The other from that Gentleman
He informed us that he had
331 Rupees and that
Ballance
him on Account the first payment of Rupees
out of which they had promised to pay him

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had given him Concern, though he thought him well inclined towards the Honble Company & disposed them many valuable Privileges in the Countries he possessed on his receiving such reciprocal marks of their Friendship — That he should in future make any Application to us for Warlike Stores for the use of Nabob for the reasons we assigned, and should on his so doing him on that Subject not fail to acquaint him with the unavoidable Necessity of such a Resolution, whilst he continued in such a Behaviour — That he had laden Bat 911.0.10 of Pepper on the Defiance amounting to Rupees 35,271.3.30 which the Commander acquainted him was all he could take on board there were Candies 539.6.16, That as it was so late in the season he was afraid no Country Vessell would offer for the purchase of the Honble Company's Pepper on to Bombay He however acquainted us with his having a pretty sure Prospect of procuring 1000 Candies of Pepper from Sundra & from 500 to 600 Candies more about Onore, That he should not have failed to comply with our Express Orders to send up the Latest Intelligence of the State of to Bombay, had not his ill state of health prevented him there with which he therefore hoped we would excuse but was full of sending them up by the first Opportunity after his recovery — That he returned the Covenants sent him executed and now sent back the papers relative to Captain as that Gentleman had passed that place for Bombay the of this month He enclosed his Cash Account to the day mentioned his Remains of Cash in Chest Rupees 27,325.1.80

Fort Augustus Letter from — The first from the President at Fort Augustus wherein he acquainted us of his having received altogether amount of about Rupees 320,000 & expected to receive near Rupees in two days & for the Ballance purposed entering into Engagement Dalvie to Saree till it was cleared, which he hoped would approve, That he had ordered the Defiance to sail the best of her way further having sent on board her 51 Officers with 32 Infantry and Artillery also 92 Barrells of Gun Powder & intended dispatching the Sloop and Provision Botella with 130 Peons on board the next day

Fort Augustus Letter from — The other from the Gentleman bore date the 11th instant wherein He informed us that he had then received to the amount of Rupees 321,917.2.70 & that a Ballance was still due from the Honble on account the first payment of Rupees 50,078.1.25 a part of which they had promised to pay him in 8 days 2800

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had given him concern, though he thought him well inclined towards the Honble Company & disposed them many valuable Privitedges in the Countries he possessed on his receiving some reciprocal marks of their Friendship — That he should not in future make any application to us for Warlikes for the use of the Nabob for the reasons we assigned, and should on his replys to him on that Subject not fail to acquaint him with the unavoidable Necessity of such a Resolution, whilst he continued such a Behaviour — That he had laden Car 211.0.10 of Pepper on the Defiance amounting to Rupees 35,271.3.80 which the Commander acquainted him was all he could take in, tho his remaining there were Candies 539.6.16, That as it was late in the season he was afraid no Country Vessells would offer to freight any of the Honble Company's Pepper on to Bombay He acquainted us with his having a pretty sure Prospect of getting from 7 to 10 Candies of Pepper from Sunda'h & from 5 to 600 from the Districts about Onore, That he should not have failed in complying with our Capt's Orders to send up the late Surgeon of the Bechenham to Bombay, had not his ill state of health required his attendance there which he therefore hoped we would excuse, but should not fail of sending him up by the first Opportunity that offered after his recovery — That he returned the Covenants sent to him duely executed and now sent back the papers relative to Capt Mallack as that Gentleman had hoisted that place for Bombay the beginning of this month. He enclosed his Cash Accounts to the day he mentioned his Remains of Cash to be Rupees 27,385.1.59

Letter from

The first from the President at Fort Augustus bore date the 10th Inst. wherein he acquainted us of his having received altogether to the amount of about Rupees 220,000 & expected to receive near 50,000 Rupees in two days & for the Ballance purposed sending for Gungajee Dalvie to Raree till it was cleared, which he hoped we would approve, That he had ordered the Defiance to make the best of her way hither having sent on board her 4 Officers with 32 Infantry and Artillery also 32 Barrells of Gun Powder & intended dispatching the Fox and Provision Botella with 130 Peons on board the next day

Fort Augustus Letter from

The other from that Gentleman bore date the 16 Instant, wherein he informed us that he had then received to the amount of Rupees 321,917.2.75 and that a Ballance was still due from the Ranna on Account the first payment of Rupees 50,078.1.25 in part of which they had promised to pay him in 8 days 28000

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had given him Concern, though he thought him well inclined towards the Honble Company & disposed him many valuable Privileges in the Countries he possessed on his receiving our reciprocal Marks of their Friendship — That he should in future make any Application to us for Warlike Stores or the use of Naiks for the reasons we assigned, and should on his reply him on that Subject not fail to acquaint him with the reasonable Necessity of such a Resolution, which he contented to

Defiance — That he had taken Cargo on board the Defiance amounting to Rupees 95,271-9-20 which the Commander acquainted him was all he could take in, there were more Candies 539-6-16, That as it was solely on the Honble Company's Pepper on to Bombay He assured us with his having a pretty sure Prospect of getting from the Candies of Pepper from Sunda & from 5 to 600 from Acheen about 2 more, That he should not have failed in complying with our express Orders to send up the late Surgeon of the Defiance to Bombay, had not his ill state of health required his attendance there which he therefore hoped we would excuse, but should not fail of sending him up by the first Opportunity that offered after his Recovery — That he returned the Covenants sent to him duly executed and now sent back the papers relative to Capt. Mallock as that Gentleman had passed that place for Bombay the beginning of this month — He enclosed his Cash Accounts to the day & mentioned his Remains of Cash to be Rupees 27,365-1-50

The first from the Resident at Fort Augustus bore date the 10th wherein he acquainted us of his having received altogether to the amount of about Rupees 320,000 & expected to receive near 50,000 Rupees in two days & for the Ballance purposed sending for Gungajee Dalvie to Raree till it was cleared, which he hoped we would approve, That he had ordered the Defiance to make the best of her way hither having sent on board her 4 Officers with 32 Infantry and Artillery also 32 Barrells of Gun Powder & intended dispatching the Fax and Provision Botella with 130 Seapoys on board the next day

The other from that Gentleman bore date the 16th Instant, wherein He informed us that he had then received to the amount of Rupees 291,317-2-75 and that a Ballance was still due from the Rannas on account the first payment of Rupees 50,978-1-25 in part of which they had promised to pay him in 8 days 28000

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had given him Leave, though he thought his Ship not Manned as towards the Monthly Company & disposed him many valuable Privileges as far as Circumstances he possessed on his receiving our respective marks of their & Friendship. That he should not fail to make any Application to us for Men for the use of the Nabob for the reasons we assigned, and should on his applying him on that Subject not fail to acquaint him with the unfavourable Necessity of such a Resolution, in which he continued a Deliberation. That he had taken Cargo on board the Defiance amounting to Rupees 30,271-3-20 which with Commanders acquainted him was all he could take on, the rest being Candies 529-6-16. That as it was so late in the Season he was afraid no Country Vessels would offer to freight the Honble Company's Pepper on to Bombay He rejoiced at is with his having a pretty sure Prospect of getting from 7 to 8 Candies of Pepper from Sundah & from 5 to 600 from Tellicherry & Mahé Ariore. That he should not have failed in complying with our Express Orders to send up the late Surgeon of the Bechenham to Bombay, had not his ill state of Health required his attendance there so much however hope we would excuse, but should not fail of sending him up by the first Opportunity that offered after his recovery. That he returned the Covenants sent to him duly executed and now sent back the papers relative to Capt. Wallace as that Gentleman had passed that place for Bombay the beginning of this month. He enclosed his Cash Accounts to the day & mentioned his Remains of Cash to be Rupees 27,385-1-59

The first from the President at Fort Augustus bore date the 10th Inst wherein he acquainted us of his having received altogether to the amount of about Rupees 320,000 & expected to receive near 30,000 Rupees in two days & for the Ballance proposed sending for Gunga jee Dalvie to Baroche till it was cleared, which he hoped we would approve, That he had ordered the Defiance to make the best of her way hither having sent on board her 1 Officers with 32 Infantry and Artillery also 32 Barrells of Gun Powder & intended dispatching the Box and Provision Batella with 130 Lascars on board the next day

The other from that Gentleman bore date the 11th Instant, wherein He informed us that he had then received to the amount of Rupees 381,917-3-75 and that no Ballance was still due from the Marine on account the first payment of Rupees 50,978-1-75 in part of which they had promised to pay him in 8 days 28,000

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had been soon renewed under colour of Right to offer the
this groundless Affront, as any accommodate Disputes
and to send their Factors away to Batavia under
actually possessed of a Letter under the Seal of the
Chief and Council acknowledging the Receipt
were sent over them the very same
them Thanks for their Care and Diligence
known that without our mediation Your Factors
have been sacrificed to satiate the Fury of the
whose Resentment was caused by the Injustice
having received from the Hands of their Governour
who had violated the Mahometan Law and Protection
under their Colours and that the Result was not
our Gentlemen could prevent the Ill Consequences
which they were threatned, However without Ostentation
of Justice they could receive most having encouraged and
countenanced the Government in those proceedings we leave
to the impartial World to judge, and as on the one hand
Your Conduct to them and all others settled at Surat seem
Answer to their Protest which would only serve to render us
less Sanguine in any Disputes they might hereafter be
=volved in either thro' their own Imprudence or the Violence
of their Servants for as we had received such an ungrateful
Return for our good Offices, once acknowledged by themselves
but now seemingly forgot, we thought it stand justified to all
the World to give ourselves no further Trouble about them but
for future leave them to extricate themselves from such an
=gravated Circumstances and the best manner they might have

Monday 28 Imported the Guardian Ketch and Content Sloop from
the Malabar Coast

Entry d from — Received of James a Letter from the Chief and Factors at

Bellasore

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had been countenanced and encouraged by us to offer them
this grosser offence to pay a considerable Sum of money &c
and to send their Cannon away to Batavia, which we were
actually prepared of a Letter under the Seals of the late
Chief and Council acknowledging the good Offices our Gent-
-men rendered them on this very occasion and returning
them thanks for the same and we then could assure
Know that without your mediation their whole Factory was
have been sacrificed to satiate the Revenge of an enraged M
whose resentment was raised to the greatest Height by their
having revolted from the Hands of the Government & Power
who had created the Mahomedan Law and protected their
under their Colours and that it was with no small difficulty
our Gentlemen could prevent the fatal consequences with
which they were threatened, Now when we what Face
could they come to accuse us of having encouraged and
countenanced the Government in these proceedings we left
the impartial World to judge preferable of the uniformity
of our Conduct to them and all others at Surat as our
Answer to their process which would only serve to render us
obnoxious to Disputes they might hereafter be involved in with their More Numerous imprudence or the Violence
of their Servants for as we had received such an ungrateful
Return to our good Offices once acknowledged by themselves
but now renounced we hope without blame and justified to all
the World to have nothing further to do with them but
instruct them to extricate themselves from such dis-
-agreeable circumstances in the best manner they might that

Monday 28 Imported the Grantham Capt Hand Consigned to us from
the Malabar Coast

Memorandum Received a Packet from the Chief and Factors at

Bombay Castle 25th January 1765

had been Seven Nights and Days employed by us & our Officers there
this great Affair, & they are now returned with Money
as ordered. We can now say to You that all these Things were
actually proposed & agreed upon under the Hands of the Vakeel
Christians and Council in Acknowledging the said Officers were
men sent & the Money necessary to carry the Treaty
them Thanks for the same and what further
answer that without Your Endeavours & Assistance they
have been said Affair was made. That Revenge of so many
whose Government was usurped & Sovereignty
Hands from the Hands of the Government & Usurper
who had violated the Mahometan Law and protected
under their Colours and that it was with the most difficult
Gentlemen could prevent the fatal consequence
would they were threatened, How then can we
if justified they could accuse us of having encouraged and
Countenanced the Government in these proceedings we left
to Commander in Chief to judge previous to the uniformity
of Our Conduct to them and all others at Surat as an
Answer to their protest which would only serve to endanger
& encourage in many Disputes they might hereafter have
with us & their Own imprudence & the Violence
of their Servants to us we have received such an ungrateful
Return for our Services, once acknowledged by themselves
but now unwillingly forgot, we should blame and justified to all
the world have received for their Insolence & Ill
they were obliged to remove themselves from such a
agreeable circumstances in the best manner they might have

Monday 28 Imported the Success Sloop and Resident Snow from the Malabar Coast

Entry of Letters from — Received of Jonas a Letter from Mr Ashwood and Factors at

Bombay Castle — 25 January 17[illegible]

had business [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] the good offices [illegible]
[illegible]
them thanks for the same [illegible] while [illegible]
[illegible] their [illegible] Factor [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] to the greatest degree [illegible]
having [illegible] Heads of the Government [illegible]
who had violated the Mahometan Law and protect[illegible]
under their colours, and that it was with no small difficulty
the Gentlemen could prevent the fatal consequences with
which they were threatened; However, as to the [illegible]
of Justice they could receive of having encouraged and
countenanced [illegible] in these proceedings we left
to the impartial World to judge [illegible] the uniformity
of our Conduct to them and all others settled at Surat as an
Answer to their protest which would only serve to render us
less sanguine in any Disputes they might hereafter be in
-volved in either from their own imprudence or the Violence
of their Servants [illegible] had received such an ungrateful
Return for our good offices, once acknowledged by themselves
but now [illegible] forgot, [illegible] notified to all
the World we gave ourselves no further Trouble about them but
in future leave them to extricate themselves from every dis-
agreeable circumstance in the best manner they might be
[illegible] Snow from
the Malabar Coast.

[illegible] —— Received the [illegible]

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[illegible] the 2d Instant by the [illegible]
are more than the proposed Matrimony
had taken Effect, they [illegible]
received their Pay [illegible] last
have made this [illegible] that they met
-tion of the Return of the Detachment [illegible]
which purpose they had [illegible]
had sent a Report to Mr Farrer [illegible]
an old Inhabitant of Mr Harper [illegible]
Alley, but should desire nothing any more
least should enhance the Price of the new Lease
desired that Mr Farrer & the Commissioners [illegible]
of having appraised the Premises, [illegible]
take a Lease at almost a Moiety less [illegible]
would approve. That agreeable to what they [illegible]
the Chief had had an Interview with Ally Rajat [illegible]
-cipal Business was to intimate to Morgan Ally [illegible]
surveying the Premises and sounding the Inhabitants
thereon whom he intended having [illegible]
from Morgan Ally to make the Assignment [illegible]
more as he expected he would agree [illegible]
not therefore, but the Chief not choosing [illegible]
interfere in the Affair [illegible]
Morgan Ally put his Scheme into Execution [illegible]
Judges by informing them that he had [illegible]
Envoy thither advising of the same but as [illegible]
settle some Preliminaries for the Execution of the Mantle
Commerce Grants and Privileges in the Country which
were made antecedent to their coming to any Resolution on
the said Proposals were accordingly sent him by the [illegible]
Person and the Chief imagining some certain Judgment in

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Persuading the Dutch Instantly drawing their Men that they had further more than the proposed Retirement of the Garrison had taken this opportunity of sending them up and they received their pay at the end of last month shall you have made this known then had they not [illegible] tion of the Return of the Detachment sent to [illegible] which purpose they had informed the [illegible] had sent a Vessel to Tutucarine That they had small quantity of Black Pepper at Travancore [illegible] Ellapy, but should decline receiving any more [illegible] least should enhance the price of the new Crop [illegible] dismissed the Messengers of the Cattamitans on their [illegible] of having oppressed the private people by [illegible] take up at almost extortionate and price which they [illegible] would approve that agreeable to what they formerly [illegible] the Chief had had an interview with Ally Rajah [illegible] cipal Business was to intimate Hoyder Allyes [illegible] of invading those parts and sounding the Chief [illegible] thereon whom he informed of his having sent [illegible] from Hoyder Ally to make the like designs known [illegible] now as he expected he would assist Allum [illegible] not interfere, but the Chief not choosing to [illegible] or intentions with respect to their arms he could [illegible] Hoyder Ally put this Scheme into Execution, and [illegible] Subject by informing him that he had previous sent a Envoy thither advising of the same but as it was necessary to settle some Preliminaries for the security of the Honble Company's Grants and Priviledges in the Countries he intends to invade antecedent to their coming to any Resolutions [illegible] thereto proposals were accordingly sent him by the same Person and the Chief imagining some certain judgment [illegible]

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Tuesday the 2d Instant advising that as they had written
more at large their proposed Retirement of their Garrison
had taken their opportunity of sending them a Pinnace
received their pay to the end of last month that they could
have made this Reduction had they not been in daily Exp
-tation of the Return of the Detachment sent to Masulapatam
which purpose they had been informed the Gentlemen there
had sent a Vessel to Tutacarine That they had pro
small quantity of Old Pepper at Travancore Which they
Allipy, but should decline receiving any more up at those Ports
that it should enhance the price of the new Crop, That they
dismiss the Mopas of the Calliquilones on their
of having oppressed the private people by obliging
take Hops at almost 4 shor cut and price which they hop
would approve That agreeable to what they formerly
the Chief had had an Interview with Ally Rajah whose pr
-cipal Business was to intimate Hoyder Allys intent
of invading those parts and sounding the Chiefs Sentiments
thereon with whom being informed of his having written
from Hoyder Ally to make his designs known to that
more at his request he would assist them but he
not interfere, but the Chief not choosing to declare his Sentim
or intentions in respect to the manner he would act should
Hoyder Ally first his Schemes into Execution, waved the
Subject by informing him that he had previous dispatched a
Envoy thither on the same but as it was necessary
Settle some Preliminaries for the security of the Honble
Companys Grants and Priviledges in the Countries he intends
to invade antecedent to their coming to any Resolutions rela
thereto Proposals were accordingly sent him by the same
Person and the Chief imagining some certain judgment mig

Bonnay Castle 26 January

Yesterday the 25 Instant advices were that as they had twelve
days more than the Usual Passage of their Vessel
had taken the opportunity of sending them up and they
received the Packet of Letters which they could
not answer this Reflections had they not been on daily Expe
ctation of the Return of the Detachment sent to Madura and
which further they had been informed the Gentlemen there
had sent a Vessel to Tuticorine That they had procured
and Engaged of Vast Importance & they paid them
Allegiance but should decline accepting any more than Ten
Years under the Terms of the New Treaty That they
did make Application to the Collectors with their Opinion on
obtaining a Perpetual Property by paying Three
Lacs Rupees at a most reasonable and private Rate they hoped we
would approve That Agreeable to Orders they formerly had de
the Chiefs had had an Interview with Ally Rajah whose pr
ipal Business was to make Peace Hyder Ally's intents
Invading the Carnatic and requiring the Chiefs Sentime
thereon who Unanimously declared their having given Men Instruc
from Hyder Ally to make this Reasons known to that Prin
not to accept of this Proposal but allow his Power not lea
and Limitless, but that they not choosing to declare his Sentim
in more concise Terms than Answer as would act should
Hyder Ally Not this Opinion was Cautiously waved the
Subject by entertaining Him that they had Pressing Expectation
Envoy this Day's advices of the same but as it was necessary
settle some Preliminaries to the Security of the Honble
Companys Grants and Privileges in this Countries Hereto
Limited & Necessary to their coming to any Resolutions rela
thereto Proposals were accordingly sent them by the same
Person and the Chiefs imagining some certain Judgment might

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before and unexpected Discoveries made thereby for preventing
a Copy of what had passed on the part of any trusty Person
might be sent to see the same provided he carried with him
the Instruments hired Instructions which was accordingly done
to and a Promise made to appoint a Person for that purpose on
taking leave he asked if we had an exclusive Grant of the Ports
Strada in the Carnatic Country, as many Boats
frequently stopped up the Port to prevent the Exportation
and being answered in the affirmative declared that Intelligence
should not only from time to time be given us of any Wares
we could at any time be supplied but also to assist
-sisting the same whenever required to hinder the
a proper opportunity for requesting his preventing any
carried thro his Dominions from Bhoodurah or any part
adjacent he was applied to accordingly and promised to send
to Tellicherry with some of his People to convey it and also
that the Ballance due from them should shortly be paid
according of Payment that the Gentlemen at Anjengo had
consigned them 18 Bales of Red Perpets, but in a bad
Condition that the Merchants had valued them at 15
p Cent less than prime Cost which had obliged them to come
to a Resolution of returning them by the first opportunity
that Domingo Moreira their General Storekeepers first
Assistant had Eloped with his Family, after whose departure
Mr William Ashburner wrote them a Letter complaining
of a large Deficiency of Stores and requesting very probable
means might be used to apprehend him proper measures
were accordingly pursued for that purpose and on the 4th
Ultimo they were informed by a Letter from the Commodore
of Cochin in answer to one sent him on the occasion that
said Moreira was secured and would be delivered up to any

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obtained and useful Discoveries made thereby for preventing
a Copy of what had passed on his part to any trusty Person
might send Home the same provided he carried with him
the Instructions which was accordingly
done and a Promise made to appoint a Person for that purpose on
taking Leave he asked if we had an exclusive Grant of the Pepper
Trade in the Carnatic Country, as our many Ports
frequently stopped up this Port to prevent the Exportation
and being answered in the affirmative declared that he willingly
should not only from time to time procure us as many Bales
we collected ready to be exported but assist us
-cluding the same whenever required in which being
a proper opportunity for requesting his promoting any
carried thro his Dominions from Bhoodurgah or
adjacent he was applied to accordingly and promised to
Tellicherry with some of his People to execute
That the Ballance due from him should shortly be paid
course of Payment That the Gentlemen at Anjengo had
consigned them 18 Bales of Red Perpets, but
Condition That their Merchants had valued them at 25
Cent less than prime Cost which had obliged them to come
to a Resolution of returning them by the first opportunity
That Domingo Moreira their General Broker's first
Assistant had Eloped with his Family, after whose departure
Mr Williams Ashburner wrote them a Letter complaining
of a large Deficiency of Stores and requesting every possible
means might be used to apprehend him proper measures
were accordingly pursued for that purpose and on the 28th
Ultimo they were informed by a Letter from the Commodore
of Cochin that he had sent him on the occasion that
said Moreira was secured and would be delivered up to any

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be formed and no real Discoveries made thereby proposed that no
Act of Hostility had passed on this part to any treaty Person he
might send to sail Mr Isaac provided he carried with him
His Commission & Instructions which was accordingly agreed
to and a Vessel made ready to appoint a Person for that purpose as
soon as Leave had arrived and an exclusive Grant of the Pepper
Trade in the Carnatic Country, as our cruizing Boats are
frequently employed up the Port to prevent its Exportation
and being answered in the affirmative declared that Intelligence
should not only from time to time be given us of any Pepper
we collected ready to be exported but assistance afforded them
in sending the same whenever required which being thought
a proper opportunity for requesting his preventing any being
carried thro' his Dominions from Rhonda Nerah and ports
adjacent he was applied to accordingly and promised to send
it to Tellicherry with some of his People to conduct, as also
that the Ballance due from him should shortly be paid in
as soon as Payment that the Gentlemen at Anjengo has
enquired from 18 Bales of Red Perpets, but in no case
Condition that their Merchants had valued them at 25
p Cent less than prime Cost which had obliged them to come
to a Resolution of returning them by the first opportunity
That Domingo Moreira their General Storekeepers first
Assistant had Eloped with his Family, after whose departure
Mr Williams Ashburner wrote them a Letter complaining
of a Great Deficiency of Pepper and enquiring every possible
means might be used to apprehend them proper measures
were accordingly pursued for that purpose and on the 28th
Ultimo they were informed by a Letter from the Commodore
of Cochin in answer to one sent them on the occasion that
said Moreira was secured and would be delivered up to any

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be joined and mutual Discoveries made thereby for preventing
a Repetition of what had passed on this part to any trusty Person he
might have recommended the same provided he carried with them
Mr Pearmain's Instructions which was accordingly agreed
to and a Firman was made to appoint a Person for that purpose to
taking Care that we had an exclusive Grant of the Pepper
Trade in the Carnatick Country, as our surveying Boats
frequently stopped up this Port to prevent the Exportation
and being answered in the affirmative declared that Intelligence
should not only from time to time be given us of any Vessels
that were ready to be exported but also assistance afforded us in
seizing the same whenever required which being thought
a proper opportunity for requesting him preventing any Pepper
carried thro' his Dominions from Rhondo Pirah or Goa
adjacent he was applied to accordingly and promised to send
a Vakeel to Cheltcherry with some of this People to conduct, and also
that the Ballance due from them should shortly be paid in
manner of Payment that the Gentlemen at Anjengo had
consigned them 18 Bales of Red Perpets, but were in bad
Condition that their Merchants had valued them at 25
p Cent less than prime Cost which had obliged them to come
to a Resolution of returning them by the first opportunity
That Domingo Moneira their General Merchant's first
Assistant had Eloped with his Family, after whose departure
Mr William Ashburner sent them a Letter complaining
of a large Deficiency of Pepper and requesting every possible
means might be used to ascertain them, proper measures
were accordingly pursued for that purpose and on the 28th
Ultimo they were informed by a Letter from the Commodore
of Cochin that he had sent them on the occasion that
said Moneira was seized and would be delivered up to any

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Person they might send to take charge of them, they had thereupon sent a Serjeant and four Topasses to conduct him thither and at the same time wrote to the Commodore thanking him for his ready compliance with their request, that a Committee was appointed to take an Inventory of the Stores and they would advise of the Deficiency as soon as the same was compleat. That the Vengeance Sloop imported there the 5th Instant and the Gentlemen at Anjengo desired they would pay the sum of 1200 Freight being Rupees 400 as they had each subscribed for the Current Months Expences for which they must desire a supply as soon as possible they also enclosed a Copy of a Current between Mons. Hamé French Resident at Calicut & Joseph Caun whereby the former appeared indebted to the latter Pagodas 3035, which those Gentlemen at the request of Major Campbell required they would recover they have accordingly transmitted a Copy of the account to the Resident at Calicut with Directions to demand the Ballance & transmit a Copy of his Answer they enclosed some Letters which they had received by the Portuguese Ships to Goa. That they had sent on this Vessel and the Ship Rupee forty of their seventeen Topasses including those before mentioned having received their Pay to the end of last Month. That having received advice of the departure of eighteen Vessels at Bengazeen to be stripped on board a Portuguese Frigate daily expected there they had detached an Officer with forty men in two Manchuas and two Tonjes to prevent the same with strict orders to search all Boats coming out of those Ports and seizing such as might have Pepper on board notwithstanding all their precautions a small quantity is carried on Board the Frigate and they enclosed a Memorandum of the Papers which passed between them and the Governor of Bengazeen, the whole to their Judgment, That observing by the Ge

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Vernon Moyn might send to take charge of them, they has therefore sent a Serjeant and four Sepoys to conduct him thither and at the same time wrote to the Commodore thanking him for his ready compliance with their request, That a Committee should be appointed to take an Inventory of the Stores and they would receive of the Deputy as soon as the same was compleated That the Vengeance Sloop imported there the 1st Instant, with the Gentlemen at Anjengo desired they would pay the amount of her Freight being Rupees 600 as they had not cash sufficient for the Current Months Expences for which they requested a supply as soon as possible They also enclosed Copy of an Account Current between Mons.r Hensé French Resident at Calicut & Joseph Cavin whereby the former appeared indebted to the latter Pagodas 3035, which those Gentlemen at the request of Major Campbell required they would recover, They had accordingly transmitted a Copy of the account to the Resident at Calicut with Directions to demand the Ballance & translate Copy of his Answer they enclosed, since which they had heard he had taken passage upon a Portuguese Ship for Goa That they had sent on this Vessel and Ship Russel forty of their newest raised Sepoys including those before mentioned having received their Pay to the end of last Month That having received advice Quantity of Pepper was ready at Burgoram to be shipped on Board a Portuguese Frigate daily expected there They had detached an Officer with forty men in two Manchuas and two Toneys to escort the same with strict orders to search all Boats coming out of those Ports and secure such as might have Pepper on Board but notwithstanding all other precautions a small quantity was carried on Board the Frigate and they enclosed sundry Letters and Papers which passed between them and the Commander intimating the whole Matter Judgment & Resolution taken by the Gen.

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Person they might send to take Charge of him, they had therefore sent a Sergeant and four Sepoys to conduct him thither and at the same time wrote the Commodore thanking him for his ready compliance with our request; That a Commissioner had been appointed to take an Inventory of the Effects and they would advertise of the Deficiency as soon as the same was compleated That the Vengeance Sloop imployed there the 5th Instant with the Gentlemen at Anjengo & Tellicherry they would pay the amount of their Freight being Rupees 600 as they had not cash sufficient for the Current Months Expences for which they required a supply as soon as possible They also enclosed Copy of an Account Current between Mons.r Hansi French Resident at Calicut & Cossimbi Cauns whereby the former appeared indebted to the latter Pagodas 3035. which those Gentlemen at the request of Major Campbell required they would discover, they had accordingly transmitted a Copy of the account to the Resident at Calicut with Directions to demand the Ballance & translate Copy of his Answer they enclosed, since which they have heard he had taken passage upon a Portuguese Ship to Goa That they had sent on this Vessel and Ship Rupel forty of their Invalids & Sepoys including those before mentioned having received their Pay to the end of last Month That having received advice a Quantity of Pepper was ready at Burgoran to be shipped on Board a Portuguese Frigate daily expected there They had detached an Officer with forty men in two Munchuas and two Toneys to prevent the same with strict Orders to search all Boats coming out of those Ports and seize such as might have Pepper on Board but notwithstanding all their precautions a small quantity had been carried on Board the Frigate and they enclosed Sundry Letters and Papers which passed between them and the Commander Intimating the whole Mans Judgment That observing by the Pa

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Person that might be sent to take charge of him, they had therefore sent a Serjeant and four Sepoys to conduct him thither and as the Commodore thinking him for the readier compliance with their Request, That a Committee should be appointed to take an Inventory of the Stores and they would advise us of the Deficiencies as soon as the same was completed That the Vengeance Sloop imployed there was Instantly with the Gentlemen at Anjengo desired they would pay the amount of five Thousand three Rupees 5000 as they had not cash sufficient for the Current Monies Expenses for which they requested a supply as soon as possible We also enclosed Copy of an Account Current between Monsr. Moreau French Resident at Calicut & Joseph Cain whereby the former appeared indebted to the latter Rupees 3035, which those Gentlemen at the request of Major Campbell required that we would recover, they had accordingly transmitted a Copy of the account to the Resident at Calicut with Directions to demand the Ballance a translate Copy of his Answer they enclosed since which they had heard he had taken passage upon a Portuguese Ship to Goa That they had sent on this Vessel and Ship Rifsel forty of their newentlisted Sepoys in room of those before mentioned having received their Pay to the end of last Month That having received advice of Quantities of Pepper ready at Purgatar to be shipped on Board a Portuguese Frigate daily expected there they had detached an Officer with Instruments two Manchuas and two Doneys to receive the same with Directions to search all Boats coming out of Mangalore and seize as much Pepper on Board but not to detain any all more precautions a small quantity be carried on Board the Frigate and that inclosed sundry Letters and Papers which had passed between them and the Commandant during the whole Affair Inclosed Mr. Rea

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and Talbot Insurrection for Bombay from
them only with 12,000 Rupees the proceeds
of advancing us Imprest Money
for their Garrison Supplying
and other Incidental Charges
of Double Vessels
them they should require
and to the Home by the 15 February
of making their first Contract for 20
other Vessels the Quantity
as possible would require a Flourage
of which they left Home Consideration
of Pepper Candies 1275. 12. 26 Pounds
Dated the Success Government Bombay

Wednesday 29 At a Consultation present
The Honble Charles Commerell Esq
[illegible] William Aislabie Esq
Charles Waters [illegible]
James Ryley Rawson Hall Boucher
George England Esq
William Hornby Surveyor Warehouse
Read & Approved

Consultation of the 22 Instant

The Superintendant Letter
the Board a Letter he has received from Commodore Watson
giving an Account of the Operations of the Army and the
since their arrival at the Malwan Fort

Read a Letter from Henry Lucas
covered with the Pass's granted to Boats trading under Protection by the Owners and Tindals Engaging for same
together without renewing the same as soon as Vessels

Commodore Watson's Dispatches to the Board of Admiralty Commodore Watson giving an Account of Operations at the Malwan Fort

Sept. 1st Pass's to Boats covered on Application with Account of State

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and Talbots Invoices received p Pathamar Boat for which
Sherwonly with 100,000 Rupees They took Their Leave
of advising us that exclusive of the annual Supply of
for their Garrison, supplying Negengeer Ship &c
and other contingent Charges they should
least double that Sum this
them they should require one Lack
and the like Sum by the 15 February
of making their first Contract for 200000
than which encreases the Quantity and
as possible would require a Flourangleck
of which they left Mr Consideration
of Pepper Candies 1275.12.26 of Carnac
Sailed the Success of Bruinswick Snows for

Tuesday 29 At a Consultation Present

The Honble Charles Crommelin Esq[r] &c
[illegible] William Aungier Frere
Charles Waters [illegible]
James Ryley Rawson Hart Boddam
George England Esq[r] Superintendant
William Hornby Independt Stam[p] Coll[r] &c
Read & Approved

Consultation of the 22 Instant

The Superintendant lays before
the Board a Letter he has received from Commodore Johnstone
giving an Account of the Operations of the Army and Fleet
since their arrival at the Malwan Fort

Great abuses having been dis-
-covered in the Passes granted to Boats trading under our pro-
-tection by the Owners and Tindals frequently sailing for year
together without renewing the same and sometimes with

Norris' port Lays before the Board a Letter from Commodore Johnstone giving an Account of Operations at the Malwan Fort

Cut of Vessels as were discovered on Board sailing with Passport &c

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and Talbots Invoices receivd of Pa Bazar Boat for Sundrys
Themselves with 107,000 Rupees they took Bill of Exchange
of advising us that exclusive of the annual Supply of
for their Garrison, supposing to expend
and other contingent Charges they stand in
need could Bill that Sum
Rupees they should require one Lack
and the like Sum by the 15 February
of making their first Contract for 2000
Rupees which increase the Quantity and
as possible would require a flowing
of which they left to our Consideration
of Pepper Candies 1275.12.26 of Cardamoms
Dated the Success of Greenwich & Knows

Tuesday

At a Consultation Present

The Honble Charles Crommelin Esq President
William Andrews Esq
Charles Waters
James Ryley
Rawson Hart Boddam
George England Esq Superintendant
William Hornby Indisposed Sam. Gouldsworth

Read & Approved the

Consultation of the 22 Instant

Marine Superintendant lays before the Board a Letter from Commodore Watson giving an Account of the Operations at the Mallevan Fort

The Superintendant lays before this Board a Letter he has received from Commodore Johnstone giving an Account of the Operations of the Army and Fleet since their Arrival at the Malwan Fort

Copy of Articles of Peace to be delivered on Board sailing with Despatches for Bassa

Read Articles of Peace concluded between the Honble United East India Company on the one part and the Mahrattah State on the other part by the Ministers and Plenipotentiaries of both Nations at Salbye on the 17th May 1782 which Articles having been ratified by the Governor and Council of Fort William and by the Peishwa Mahdoo Row Narrain and his Ministers and Confederates and the Ratifications thereof exchanged by the Plenipotentiaries of both Nations at Salbye aforesaid on the 6th June 1782 Ordered that the same be Registered in the Consultations of this Day

Bombay Castle —

... Talbot ... the ... with ...
... his ...
... Goa ...
... charge ...
...
... they should ...
... the ... by ...
of making their first ...
... increase the ...
as possible would require ...
... the fifth hour ...
of ... 1705. 19, 26 ...

Sailed the ...

usday 24 At a Consultation ...

The Hon'ble Charles ...

Charles Hales

James Ryley

William ...

Read ...

Consultation of the ...

... Board a Letter ... from ... giving an account of the operations of the ... as well at the Malwan Fort

... covered in the ... granted ... together without renewing the same ...

... Letter ... Commodore ... giving an account of ... operations ...

... Boats ... ending with ...

… Walters Invoices received of Rattamer Bear … the … with 40,000 Rupees they took the … of … Advances … considering the … of the … for the Garrison, supplying … and other contingent Charges they … not doubt that they, … them they should require one Lack … and the like Sum by the 15 February … of making their first Contract for 25,000 … which, increase the Quantity and … possible would require a Sum … which they left to our Consideration … of Pepper Candies 1275.12.26 … of …

Sailed the … for …

Tuesday 24 — At a Consultation: Present

The Honble Charles Crommelin Esqr President

* * * * * * * * * * * * * * — William Andrews Price

Charles Waters — * * * * * * * * * * * *

James Ryley — Rawson Hart Boddam

George England Esqr Superintendent

William Hornby Indisposed Thomas Hodges gone …

Read & Approved … last Consultation of the 22^d Instant

Marine Superint. lays before the Board a Letter to him from Commodore Watson giving an Account of the Operations at the Malwan Fort

a Report thereto discovered …

The Superintendent lays before the Board a Letter he has received from Commodore John Watson giving an Account of the operations of the Army and Fleet since their arrival at the Malwan Fort

It having been … covered that the Passes granted to Boats trading under our protection by the owners … for a year together without renewing the same …

TOTAL EXPOSURES

125

END

END

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

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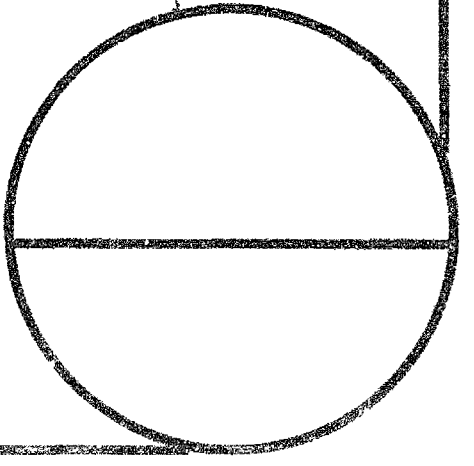
YEAR : 17

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

DATE : 1-89



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a Visit from them yesterday

— Visited the Chesterfield Captain Andrew Forbes for Bengal the Revenge and Royal Ally Brigt with the Ship Guard out for Cruize

Thursday 29 Came on the Land Sloop from a Cruize

Friday 30 Signed a Letter to the Factors at Fort Victoria and Letter to Mr Peters proceeding to Surat

Fort Victoria Letters to — The Former was only to direct Mr Brown to carry on Affairs in Settlement among Mr Flatts Men, our Instructions to whom were exactly conformable to our last from Surat by

Saturday 31 Came on the Vansittart Captain Stevens & Adam Comm and from Bengal and the Hunter and Eagle Sloops from Cruize

Bonga Letter from — Received by the former a Letter from the President & Council at Fort William dated the 11th July and Advice of Three Ships Lading 3 Thousand 300 Bags of Salt for us. Also a Letter from the Chief and Factors at Hughly dated the 13th Instant, on which they caused Receipt of our Commands of the 24th Ultimo, and observed that they had received a Letter from the Governor and Council at Madrass of the 5th Ultimo by which they Understood the Scalah and Hyder Ally Cavan Sahib had raised Disturbances and designing Enemies to Fire upon the Flowers and Advised them to attack the Professions of the latter, and to furnish them with Soldiers & Stores and use such other means as might enable them the more effectually to destroy them and Extirpate their Opposition, but as they entreated were to receive our Orders as on their Subjects they have deferred doing any Acts of Hostility to them, but have resolved to continue the Neutrality they have hitherto observed towards the Mediation as well as the rather as any Supplies of Ammunition they could spare them with precedency would be on their part not answer the end proposed of causing a Reputation in those Parts, and on a postscript mentioned that the Prince of Orenda still continued to the Northward collecting a Body of Troops under which he had obliged the Moors to retire from the Districts of Ramadeu and Covey and had on the 6th Instant taken possession of Ramadeu Fort

Received of Indian Letters from the Factors at Surat and Tellicherry

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to our Resolution yesterday.

Sailed the Chesterfield Captain Andrew Forbes for Bengal. The Revenge and Hyder Ally's Prize with the Sky Cutter for Onore.

Thursday 29. Came on the Sloop Fletcher from a Cruize.

Friday 30. Signed a Letter to the Select and Fort Victor and Instructions to Mr. Hodges for proceeding to Gheriah.

Fort Victor Letter to — The Servants were solely to direct Mr. Green to carry on Affairs at the Settlement during Mr. Fletchers Absence, for Instructions to whom were severally delivered to the Resident last Council day.

Saturday 31. Came on the Yacht Hart, Captain Thomas Dickens Commander from Bengal and the Tartar and Eagle Snows from Onore.

Bengal Letter from — Received by the former a Letter from the President and Council at Fort William dated the 11th July, and enclosing Invoice and Bill of Lading of three Thousand 3000 Bags of Salt Petre laden on Board the

Tellicherry — Also a Letter from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry dated the 13th Instant, on which they owned Receipt of our Commands of the 26th Ultimo and advised that they had received a Letter from the President and Council at Madurah of the 3d Ultimo acquainting them that the Subah and Hussein Ally Cawn had actually commenced Hostilities and desiring them to hasten the Succours ordered them to attack the Possessions of the latter and to furnish them with Military Stores and use such other means as might enable them the more effectually to distress him and facilitate their Operations, but as they expected soon to receive our Orders on this Subject they had deferred taking any Steps of that Nature till then, but had resolved to continue in Neutrality they have hitherto observed towards the Mallabar Powers, they rather as any Suspicion of Commissioners they could share that with Moderation would be on their Guard not an Invader. The concluding Paragraph of assuring a Resolution on those points, and on a Postscript mentioned that the Province of Cheverah still continued to the Northward in Rebellion and a Body of Troops with which he had Hopes the Nawab to retire from the Districts of Ramadilly and Coorg, and had on the 6th Instant taken possession of Ramadilly Fort.

Received by Tartar the Letter from the Factors and Seamen late Slaves

Bonetta Castle 20th October 1767.

to the Resistance yesterday.

— Joined the Chesterfield Captain Alexander Forbes for Bengal. the Revenge and Royal Ally's Waiting with the Fly Gallivat for Onore.

Thursday 29 Came on the French Ketch from Calicut.

Friday 30 Signed a Letter to the Factors at Fort Victoria and Instructions to Mr. Fletcher proceeding to Tellicherry.

Fort Victoria Letter to. — Mr. Farmer was ordered to direct Mr. Green to carry on Affairs at the Settlement during Mr. Fletchers Absence, our Instructions to whom were couched in such terms as to the Resolutions Last Council day.

Saturday 31. Came on the Vansittart Captain Thomas Buchan Commodore from Bengal and the Porter and Eagle Snows from Onore.

Bengal Letter from — Received by the former a Letter from the President and Council at Fort William dated the 11th July, and enclosing Invoice and Bill of Lading of three Hogsheads 3000 Pagos of Gold Coin laden on Board the Ship

Tellicherry Letter from Also a Letter from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry dated the 13th Instant, on which they owned Receipt of our Commands of the 26th Ultimo, and advised that they had received a Letter from the Jemadar and were Concerted Measures of the 5th Ultimo impowering them the Sultan and Hyder Ally Cawn had actually commenced Hostilities and desiring them to spare no Pains to thwart the Measures carried on to attack the Possessions of the Latter, and to supply them with Military Stores and every other means as might be enable them more effectually to distress them and facilitate their Operations, such as they expected soon to receive our Orders on this Subject they had deferred taking any Steps of that Nature till then, but were resolved to continue the Neutrality they have hitherto observed towards the Mediator Powers, by neither or any Supplies or Assistances they could spare them with Jealousies would in these Quarters not answer the ends proposed of causing a Revolution in those Parts, and as Hostilities commenced between the Nabob of Canara and Hyder Ally Cawn, and the Nabob had collected a Body of Troops with which he had Hopes to retake from the Districts of Bednore and Onore, and had on the 6th Instant taken Possession of Bednore Fort.

— Received by Letter a Letter from the Factors, one from our Vakeel

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my answer, and another from me to Nabob D Longe
Hall from the Factors here and the 6th Instant with
their answers of the 26th Which separate I am
answer immediately set out for the Nabobs Camp in
endeavours that his Journey might be attended with
Nabob Cossimbuys Affairs, requested we would im
her Mahomedan Race to convey the Despatches to
and desired to know if Freight being agreed upon
Nabob Meat might after would meet our Affairs
The first from Mr Hobart was dated at M
arrived Receipt of our Commands of the 2d but upon
of the 30th remembering Mr Bracey presence,
not arrive there till the 19th and that Gentleman to
the 7th he advances us that the Nabob had had
our Troops on which he had lost many of his
and his eldest Son with Raza Sahb were marching
great Power he had thrown in on Mr Bracey the
Reason to hope our Affairs with him might in the
happy Issue That having a large Grant by
a great distance up Country, been to have the opt
first to clear the Riverbanks from
up the Eagle and Tartar then
he was, having taken on Board 1761 Bags
amounting to Rs 376694. 1 35 But by your last
a considerable quantity of Saltpetre had been
which had formerly been carried
advance on the month of November of about 1 1/2
we had disappointed of this Advance last year he was
if he might be permitted to make it then as the
demands the money, and as without it the Saltpetre
go through another Channel, and assured us there was
attending this advance, but should we not deem it proper
he desired to know of us whether Payment of this Saltpetre being
by private Letter
The other from that Gentleman was dated the 23d Instant
from Mujee, acquainting us he had not then received any Advice

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at Surat, and another from on Sibbald P Longe
Mate from the Indus bar. date the 6th Instant, acho
Main Commanders of the 36th. Ultimo, represents
wrote immediately set out for the Nabobs Army
Intelligence that his Journey might be attended
Hostile Countrys Affairs, requesting we would
be pleased there to convey the Pepper Boats
and desired to know of Draughting up Pepper
Which Next might offer would excel our Pepper
The first from Mr. Sibbald was dated at Merjee
carried Quartel of our Commanders of the 2d
of the 30th. Commendanting Mr. Bracey
not arrive there till the 19th. and that Gentleman
the 7th. he addressed us that the Nabob had had
our Troops in which he have lost many of
and his eldest Son with Raza Sahb were
great Desire he have shewn to see Mr. Bracey
Reason to hope our Affairs with him might
Safety Ships. That having a large quantity
a great distance into Merjee River he have
first to clear the Barr Entrance there of
the Eagle, and Tartar there, and Most the latter
was drawing Eadem on her 1700 Bags
measuring to Rs. 37694. 1. 55 That for those
a considerable quantity of Pepper have been
which had formerly been received Indeed by means
advances on the middle of November of about
we have desired of this Advance last year, he
if he might be permitted to make of this as the
demand the money, and as without it the Pepper
through another Channel, and assured us there
altering this Advances, we should not deem it
he desired to know of our pleasure in what Pepper being
by French Ships

The other from that Gentleman was dated the 23d. Instant
from Merjee, acquainting us he have not

Bombay Castle 11. October 1717

Mr Bowes, and another from Mr Nicholls p Eagle.
Mine from the Factors bore date the 6 Instant, acknowledges the Rec.
Four Commands of the 26. Ulsome, agreeable to which he
would accordingly see care for the Nabobs Army, and use his
Endeavours that the Journey might be attended with Success
Feroke Cossangy Affairs requesting we would move Gov.
to Authorize them to convey the Pepper Boats from the Ports
and assured us of Encouraging the Pepper after and
Vessels that might offer would meet our Approbation
Mine first from Mr Nicholls was dated at Mergee the 4th Instant
our last Receipt of our Commands of the 2d. but confirm
of the 30th. Current wherein Mr Stracey persevering
not arrive there till the 9th. and that Gentleman had left
the 7th. the advance was that the Nabob had had a Bout with
other Princes in which he have lost many of his Men
and his eldest Son with Raza Saib were missing and that upon
arrest Desire he have shown to see Mr Stracey he thought
Reason to hope our Affairs with him might shortly be brought
happy Issue. That having a large quantity of Pepper
a great distance up Mergee River he had thought it most
first to clear the Warehouses there of which purpose he had
up the Eagle and Tartar there, and that the latter was now
to us having taken on her 1100 Bags being all she could
conveniently & Rs 37694. 1. 55. That for Want of
a considerable quantity of Pepper had been procured at Bingry
which had formerly been carried Inland, by means of
advances on the month of November of about 12000 Rupees but as
we have dead Stock of this Advances last year, he was desirous
if he might be permitted to make of this as the Cargo
demand the Money now as without it the Pepper would
or Wrought in other Channels, and assured us there was no Design
Hindering their Advances, but should we not deem it proper to be made
he desired to know of us, whether [illegible] Pepper being purchased
by private Persons.
Mine dated from that Gentleman was dated the 23d. Instant, therein
from Mergee, acquainting us he have not been received any Advices from

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[illegible] Letter from Mr Roberts by Eagle
with Letters from the 6th Instant, acknowledging the Receipt of the 3d Advice, approved to which Mr Brace was immediately sent for the Nabobs Army, and we have the Satisfaction that the Affairs might be otherwise with Advantage to the Honble Companys Affairs, requesting we would send down a Gallivat to Dharwar there to convey Mr Pfeiffer Chests from the Aspinwall Boat, and desired to know if Freighting any Pfeiffer upon any Ships that might offer would meet our Approbation

That Letter from Mr Roberts was dated at Mangee the 11th Instant, which Receipt of our Commands of the 3d but informed us that the 30th countermanding Mr Braces proceeding to the Nabob & arrive there till the 9th and that Gentleman had left Mangee the 7th he advanced us that the Nabob had had a Skirmish with our Troops and which he had lost many of his Forces, Cafferies, and his eldest Son with Raja Sahib were missing, and that from the great Desire he had there to see Mr Brace, he thought there was no Reason to hope our Affairs with him might shortly be brought to a Satisfactory Issue. That having a large Quantity of Pfeiffer laying up a great distance up in the Mangee River he had thought it most necessary to clear the Watercourses there for which purpose he had brought for the Eagle and Tartar there, and that the latter was now despatched for Mossing taken on her 1100 Bags being all she could take in Consideration of Rs 37694. 1. 55. That for these two or three years has a considerable Quantity of Pfeiffer had been procured at Bilgy, which had formerly been carried Inland, by means of making a advance in the month of November of about 12000 Rupees, but as we had disapproved of this Clearance last year, he was desirous to know if he might be permitted to make it this, as the Raja would have demanded the money once as usual of the Pfeiffer would encourage it through another Channel, and observed as there was no Reason alledging this clearance, but should we not permit it further to be made he desired to know if we would purchase the Pfeiffer being purchased & forwarded Gratis.

The other from that Gentleman was dated the 23d Instant, likewise from Mangee acquainting us he had not been received

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[illegible], and another from Mr. Sibbald's [illegible]

[illegible] from the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] Consequence of the Mr. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] immediately set out for the [illegible] Army, [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] that his Journey might [illegible] with [illegible]
[illegible] Company's Affairs [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] to carry the Salt Petre [illegible] from the [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] of Freighting [illegible] Saltpetre [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] that [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

The [illegible] from Mr. Sibbald was dated [illegible] the 11th [illegible]
[illegible] Receipt of our Commission of the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] Mr. Tracey's [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] there till the 10th and that Gentleman [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] that the Nabob had a [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] he [illegible] many of [illegible]
[illegible] his eldest Son [illegible] and [illegible] that [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Mr. Tracey [illegible] thought [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] Affairs with [illegible] might shortly be [illegible]
[illegible] That having a large quantity of Saltpetre lying [illegible]
a great distance [illegible] [illegible] he had thought it most [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] for which purpose he had [illegible]
[illegible] the Eagle and Tartar [illegible] and that the latter [illegible]
[illegible] having laden on her 1700 Bags [illegible] [illegible]
amounting to Rs. 3709.4.55. That for [illegible] [illegible]
a considerable quantity of Saltpetre had been [illegible] at [illegible]
which had formerly been a [illegible] [illegible] by [illegible]
[illegible] in the months of November [illegible] about 12000 Rupees [illegible]
[illegible] disappointment of this [illegible] last year, he [illegible]
if he might be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] the money and as neither of the Saltpetre [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] Channel [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] this [illegible] but [illegible] not [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] that Gentleman was dated the 23rd [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Bermuda Castle 31 October 1811.

M. Treacy who on the 17th Instant was tried by a Court Martial assembled by Order of Major General Sir Robert Army and found guilty of having on the 15th Instant [illegible] Deserter to the enemy and [illegible] That the Merchants of Town [illegible] Cloth at the Forces prices [illegible] would be glad to know if they [illegible] That there were Men [illegible] That the Ballance of Cash [illegible] stated the Lieut. Robert [illegible]

Bermuda.

Tuesday 3. At a Council at Town.

The Honourable Thomas Hodges Esqr [illegible]
The Honble William French Esqr [illegible]
Daniel Dunscomb — James Ryley
Ranson Hart Beddam — Benjamin Lewis
Thomas Hemsley — William Hutchinson
Simon Hutchinson [illegible]
John Gowan Major Commandant & Samuel Lambert Esqrs

Read and Approved the Minutes of Council of the 27th Ultimo

Warrant for the Pardon of Robert Treacy to issue upon receipt of the same

The Provincial Superintendent laid before the Board a Letter addressed to him from His Excellency the Commander in Chief complaining of Lieutenant Forgeter behaving in an extraordinary manner and treating him with the Service with Contempt, Directed that Court of Enquiry be appointed to examine into the truth of the Charges & Assertions, and to report the Opinion thereof

Bombay Castle 31st October 1761.

Mr Horsey, who on the 12th Instant was about fifteen days Journey from the Nabob's Army, arrived in forming us that the Eagles having been on as much dispatch as she could answering to Rs 200000. 1.35 was now returned to us That the Merchants of Onore were willing to contract for 75 Bales of Bro[illegible] Cloth at the prices mentioned in their Letter of the 15th of last Month & wished to be glad to know if their proposals were accepted by us, and therefore That there was then upwards of 900 Candies of Pepper on their hands [illegible] That the Ballance of Cash amounted to Rs 34028 1 95

Voted the Sucess Fisher dispatched for Bengal and from thence to [illegible]

Consultation.

Tuesday, 3 At a Consultation, Present.

The Honourable Thomas Hodges Esqr, President & Governor
The Rt Revr Henry Revell Wrench Esqr [illegible]
Daniel Draper — James Ryley
Ranson Hart Boddam — Benjamin Lewis
Thomas Rosyne — William Hackhouse
Simon Hatcham Brownsword, Lieutenant
John Gowan (Major) Bombay, & Samuel Cowtan Bengal

Read and Approved our last Consultation of the 27th Ultimo

Harrow Forgster to be tried by a Court of Inquiry

The Brownsword Lieutenant laying before the Board a Letter addressed to him from the Commander of the Sartos complaining of Lieutenant Forgster behaving in an unbecoming manner and treating him and the Service with Contempt: Directed that a Court of Inquiry be appointed to examine into the Truth of Complaint mentioned therein, and to give their opinion thereof.

The

Bombay Castle 31. October 1761.

Mr. Hornby in the Ship Thetis's Longboat arrived here days Journey from the Nabobs Army, and informing us that the Eagle having taken on board Pepper and the cruize amounting to Rs 26,61,135 was now returned to us That the Merchants of Surat were willing to contract for 75 Bales of Bruce Cloth at the prices Recommended in Your Letters of the 15th of last August and would be glad to know if their proposals were accepted by us, and mention that there was then a Quantity of 900 Candies of Pepper on Warehouse and that the Ballance of Cash amounted to Rs 36,028.1.95

Sailed the Success Galeot for Fort Victoria and from thence to Goa

November.

Tuesday 3. At a Consultation Present.

The Honourable Thomas Hodges Esqr President & Governor
The Rt. Hon. Peter Elwin Wrench Esqr
Daniel Draper — James Rayley
Ranson Hart Boddam — Benjamin Lewis
Thomas Hastings — William Hackhouse
Simon Hatcham Accountant Superintendant
John Gowan (Major) Engineer, & Samuel Court Esq Bengal

Read and Approved our last Consultation of the 27th Ultimo

Marine Register Sr Robert to have Cert of Exam

The Provincial Lieutenant Governor laying before the Board a Letter addressed to him from the Commander of the Tartar complaining of Lieutenant Register behaving in an unbecoming manner and treating him and the Service with Contempt Directed that a Court of Enquiry be appointed to examine into the truth of the Assertions and to give in their opinions thereof

Bombay Castle 31st October 1781.

Mr Stracey arrived the 1st Instant was struck five days from the Malabar Army, and informed us that the Eagle Frigate before mentioned Letter via the Cape of Good Hope 1.35 was now at Anchor in the Road that the Inhabitants of Onore were willing to contribute for the Relief of Bednore with all the Forces in their Power. Intelligence of the 15th of last Instant were waited for to know if their Proposals were accepted by us, and reported that there were Provisions of 1000 Candies of Rice in Mangalore and that the Ballance of Cash amounted to Rs 34.000. 1.95

Ordered that Lieut Hodges from Tellicherry and Lieut Vessey from Anjengo

November.

Tuesday 3. At a Consultation present.

The Honourable Thomas Hodges Esqr President & Governor
The Hon Peter Auriol French Esqr
Daniel Draper — James Ripley
Ramson Hart Boddam — Benjamin Jervis
Thomas Hodgson — Nathaniel Stackhouse
Simon Haldane Secretary to Consultations
John Gowan (Major) Engineer & Colonel Commandant Bengal

Read and Approved our last Consultation of the 27th Ultimo

The Governor & Superintendant laid before the Board a Letter addressed to them from the Commander of the Exeter complaining of Lieutenant Campbell behaving in an unbecoming manner and beating him and Mr Jervis with a Cane. Directed that a Court of Enquiry be assembled to examine into the Truth of the above Assertions and to give in their opinion thereof.

Marine Sergeant Robert to be Lieut by Court of Admiralty

The

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That our Army under Command of Colonel Goddard
united Forces of Nagpur Ally and Nagpur Ally, had
their whole Camp and had drove them out of the
Mountains with a very considerable Loss of men
Letters from Surgeon dated the 22 September
Cash 13.26 of Hospital remaining in Bombay
means consist of Bandies 1267. 7. 25 of Shroffs
sundry Accounts

Vice Consultation

Present

The worshipful Thomas Hodges Esqr
The Hon. Peter Elmes Brooke Esqr
Daniel Draper
Rawson Hart Boddam
Thomas Hodges
Simon Fletcher
Samuel Court at Bengal

Read and Approved
two of the 10th Instant

Resolve Contrary
but address to approve

Answer ordered
the Court of Directors Letter
to the Agent and Council at Surat
which being Approved was ordered to be

Companys Servants
Abraham M. George
Promoted to Bombay
Brown M. Charles
Chief at the Factory Surgeon

M. Young the new
and M. Charles Brown to attend the Military
Hence

M. James Collins
Plea he requests being Surgeon on the Warwick
or Leave to Bombay the Secretary is directed
that as readily answered Answer

Collinson M. James
Recommended to return to
England

Samuel M. Joseph
represents his Mandate
His Situation in regard to
his Connexions with Nagpur does
him

Read a Letter dated
M. Joseph Samuel wherein he acquaints us Nagpur Agent
Agent positively refuses to settle the Accounts of his Master
until he hears from his Master, representing the Impossibility of his
leaving Nagpur at present for Bombay and
and earnestly requests our Permission to go to Sea
with a Pass for 2 Vessels which the now commanded, in which case he
will leave Orders with his Attorney to settle any past Demands Hodges

The

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Portsmouth 15th January 18

Read our Orders in our Commons of Colonel Lewis [illegible]
dated Forts at Negapatam and Negapatam Bay, dated [illegible]
Also Read Copy and Read Letter Copy of the Governor [illegible]
Commissary under date Negapatam Bay [illegible]
Letters from Anjengo dated the 22d September Bay [illegible]
Oct. 15. 28 at Bengal our Answer to Fort [illegible]
Mains Consultation of Cornelius 1787. 7. 25 of the Court [illegible]
Company Accounts

At a Consultation Present
The Honble Thomas Rumbold Esqr [illegible]
The Rt Hon Lord Viscount Macartney [illegible]
Daniel Draper Esqr Samuel Ravenshaw Esqr
Benjamin Roebuck Esqr
Nathaniel Dance Esqr
Edward Hay Esqr
Samuel Court at Anjengo

Read and Approved [illegible]
Mains of the 10th Instant

Thomas Rumbold Esqr [illegible]
Governor of Fort St George dated [illegible]
to the Agent and Council at Bengal and [illegible]
which being Approved are ordered to be [illegible]

Ordered that Mr Gregory Alexander [illegible]
and Mr Charles Brown be absent the Military [illegible]
Fleet

Mr James Cobbett [illegible]
Letter he proposes taking Passage on the Worcester [illegible]
in case no Objections the Secretary is directed to
Inform him readily accordingly Thereof

Read a Letter from Mr Joseph Sterndale, wherein he acquaints the Hon Agent [illegible]
Agent positively refuses to settle the Accounts of Mr Hastings
with the Owners from his Master, represents the Shameful [illegible]
thereby deprived of the means of procuring for himself and [illegible]
and earnestly requests our Interposition in his behalf and to be favored
with a Pass for a Vessel which the now commands, in which case
will Cause Owners with his Attorney to settle and put Accounts Home

Hastings Company
Ld. Ordered to approved

Ordered
Mr.
Mr Gregory Alexander and Mr Charles Brown absent the Military Engagements

Ordered Mr James Cobbett permitted to return to England

Hannel Mr Joseph represents the Hardships he labours under in respect to the Accounts with Hastings Estate

Bombay Castle [illegible]

[illegible] 1767 [illegible]

Saturday [illegible] At a Consultation [illegible]

The Honble Thomas Hodges Esqr [illegible]
The W^l^ [illegible] [illegible]
Daniel Draper [illegible]
[illegible] Hart Berkeley [illegible]
Thomas [illegible]
Simon Matcham [illegible]
Samuel [illegible]

Read and Approved [illegible] of the [illegible] Instant

Honble Company [illegible] Whereas [illegible]
the Court of Directors [illegible]
to the Agent and Council [illegible]
which being Approved [illegible]

Companys Servants
Mr. George [illegible]
Mr. Charles [illegible]

Mr. [illegible] Or [illegible] [illegible] that the [illegible] Military

[illegible]

Mr. [illegible]
[illegible] to England

[illegible] on the [illegible] the Secretary [illegible]
that [illegible]

Mr. Joseph
[illegible]

Read a Letter [illegible]
Mr Joseph [illegible] wherein he acquaints us [illegible]
[illegible] positively refuses to settle the Accounts of his [illegible]
until he [illegible] from his Master [illegible]
[illegible] of the means of proceeding for [illegible]
and earnestly requests our Permission to go to Sea [illegible]
with a Pass to [illegible] [illegible] in which [illegible]
will leave Orders with his Attorney to settle and [illegible]

[illegible] Boundary Gazette [illegible]

we have received and that Mr. [illegible] that reason [illegible] subsistency [illegible] Bombay was sent to Captain Keith R for 2000 Rupees but which have on the Arrival of that Ship Mr. Morrison advances they concluded it would be [illegible] the same here and have Mr. Morrison transferred to that Presidency informed us that in consequence of an application from Mr. Grant now at Cayenne for Cash they have sent him 1000 Rupees and Bombay Rupees and Pardaus to the amount of £2500 in all and as that the Ship have left the Cape Merchants at Colombo Mr. Chamberlain, Garland, Sundry Accounts, account that the Company's Ships by the last Account from thence was Canada 607 13 21 & Europe Ships Bristle Hay Thomas Lord on Woodcock Canada 1287 12 15 and in a Postscript acquainted us that some of their forecast Seamen to wait on the Coast to acquaint here that they had been detained by Order of Mr. Secretary that Secretary had sent Orders to the Commanding Officer on those parts to attend Intelligence of the above Ships Proceedings [illegible] and to assure us that their utmost endeavours should be used to assist any Attempts that might be made on their Return

Europe Ships [illegible] of Chatham [illegible]

Ships from the Commander of the East of Chatham [illegible] Mr. Williams acknowledged Receipt of our Orders to have under the 1st Month, to which he should shew due Observance, but as [illegible] on as the being wholly out of her power to sail at Once [illegible] her Ship was then quite full having only landed a [illegible] at Madras, the Whitemarsh &c. as the Gentlemen at [illegible] recommended it to them he should touch at Anjore, and as he was [illegible] that he had not forth wards [illegible] Instructions in respect to the Letter

Anjore Salt Ships

Ships from Mr. Samuel Moore at Anjore were dated [illegible] enclosed a Packet from Mr. Stracey and requesting us that [illegible] of Salt in Negapatan River not being sufficient to answer the Orders that she have been obliged to remain to Anjore, and new Order arrived for her being sent to Negapatan, she has [illegible] ply us for that place the 23rd Instant and as we are of opinion [illegible] falling in with the Mouth of the River she may run in and the Fly Galliot to accompany her, we should any Accident to happened to her before her arrival there, it would [illegible] in disagreeable distresses [illegible] the Ships

Bombay Castle 10th December 1777

we had sent her, and that the only Bill that remained outstanding to balance was one to Captain Birchall for 20000 Rupees but which being in the Hands of that Gentleman when we wrote we thought proper to change the same here and have therefore transferred it to Mr Brabourn whom we shall duly inform as well in consequence of an application from Mr Gentleman at Bengal for Cash, that he can at present remit to Bengal or Bombay Rupees and Pondums to the amount of £10,574 1 0 and to acquaint him that the Chief Farm have left the Land Marshalls at Collamb the 6th Ultimo, enclosed sundry Accounts, assured that the Remainder of Pepper at Angengo by the first Vessels from thence was Candies 607. 13. 21 of Tellicherry, Calicut they themselves had on Warehouse Candies 1287. 12. 15, and in as Pepper at Cochin acquainted us that some of their former Pepper Contracts had failed on the Chief & Council there that they had been induced by persons of veracity that Hyder Ally had sent Orders to the Commandery Officer on those Coasts to attack Tellicherry, and that they could not get that Information confirmed at any certain Intelligence, if that should they thought it their Duty to use every means of Defence and to assure us that their Endeavours should be exerted to repel any Attempts that might be made on their Settlement

Read from the Commander of the Earl of Chatham her date the 26th Ultimo, acknowledged Receipt of our Orders to him under the 7th of that Month, to which he should shew due Obedience, but as perceive his Ship was then quite full having only landed a few Bales at Madrass, & that the remaining Part of the Cargo he was recommended at to him the Council Chief at Onore, and expressed his Hope that as that he had not doubt would be entertained as sufficient Reason for not Gratifying our Instructions in respect to the Pepper

Read from Mr Lawrence Resident at Onore dated the 20th Ultimo, enclosed a Packet from Mr Strange, and acquainted us that the Quantity of Water in Mayes River not being sufficient to admit the Vessels that have been obliged to remove to Onore, and on our Orders arrived for her being sent to Mangalore, she had accordingly sailed for that Place the 25th Ultimo, and as he was apprehensive of a Fall on with the Monsoon, that on her way down he had ordered the Fly Galliot to accompany her, as should any Accident happened to her before her arrival there, it might have been a disagreeable Disputes with the Merchants

Bontay to ditto the 6th December 1687

we have directed, and that the only Ships that remained outstanding to
be cleared were one to Surat for 2000 Pagodas, the other Bary
to the Manila of which Commodore Nicholson was Owner they undertaken
to discharge the same here, and have to more to proceed of their Backs accor-
dingly informed us that we commanders of our application from the Gentle-
men at Surat for Credit may proceed to Bombay Rupees and Pendaram to the amount of Rs. 505114. 8. 66, we understand
that the Ships have had left the Port Manifold 28 December the 6th Rupees,
Pendaram, Sundry Pieces &c. accord that the Remains of Pepper at Tegapo
by the last Account from thence (viz. Pendaram 607. 13. 31 of Pepper, of the
Article they themselves had on Merchants Carriage 1287. 12. 15, and we
a Pepper acquainted us that some of their principall Inhabitants had
waited on the Chief to acquaint him that they had been informed by persons
of veracity that Rajah Ally had sent Orders to the Commanding Officer
in those parts to attack Tellicherry, and the Chief could not at that time
come at any certain Intelligence of the Order they thought for your Hon.
rable Ass. to assure us that Hostilities or Encouragement should be gi-
ven to defeat any Attempts that might be made on their Devices

Duroque Ships — Next from the Commander of the Ship Chatham for dated the 26th
Ultimo, acknowledges Receipt of our Orders to have under the 7th of that
Month, to which he therein shew due Obedience, but on perusal his Com-
mission at being wholly out of his Power to call at Onore for. Neither as
his Instr. was therein quite, having only Landed a few Pounds of Rice
at Madraspatan, notwithstanding which as the Gentlemen at Surat may be
recommended of to him he should touch at Onore, and expresses his hop-
that what he had not Gotten would be sufficient Reason for
our Satisfaction our Intentions in respect to the Pepper.

Duroque Letter from — Next from our Factors at Onore were dated the 30th ult. from
enclosed a Packet from Mr. Stracey, and desiring to see that the Ri-
of Water on Onore River not being sufficient to admit the Mason
Ships she have been obliged to remove to Onore, and on an Order
arrived for her being sent to Mangalore, she have accordingly sail
for that place the 25th Ultimo, which as he does apprehend of a
failing in with the Pirate Ship on her way down he had order
the Ship Gastwick to accompany her, as should any Accident hap-
pened to her before her arrival there, it might have involved
in disagreeable disputes with the Mahs.

Europe Ships of Chatham

Letter from

Bombay Castle [illegible]

Fort Marlborough Letter from — That from the President and Council at Fort Marlborough dated the 14th August, acquainting purposely to give cover to their Letter of the 17th March last and enclosing to the Honble the Mayor Court [illegible] Extract of the Prince Frederick.

Onore's Letter from — That from one James Sibbald dated the purpose to advise us that he had letter, under Convoy of the Earl of Chatham [illegible] Company's Pepper at that Place being [illegible] to Sept. 37. Tons. The Straight [illegible] settle with the Owners of the Ship.

Military — Signed a Commission appointing [illegible] William Godwin as Captain Lieutenant [illegible] Robert Jackson as Captain Lieutenant of the 11th Instant.

— At a Consultation [illegible]

The Honorable Thomas Hodges Esqr [illegible]
The Worl Peter Elwin Brown Esq [illegible]
James Bagley, [illegible]
Benjamin Reeves, [illegible]
Nathanl Macklewain, [illegible]
Thomas Wesham [illegible]

Read and Signed the Consultation of the 11th Instant

Ord to pay the Bills [illegible] Honble Members Ships Lord Chatham which arrived from their Commanders of the 14th March last the Pilgrim and Ship of the Packet, which being read the Consideration [illegible]

Resolved that the Warehouse Keeper be immediately ordered for Loading on the Ships one Month's Provisions by their Ships allow Wt. Gallowayce.

Signed Mr Joseph for the Warehouse Keeper [illegible]

Read a Letter enclosed herewith from Mr Joseph Stannet enclosing a Bond in the sum Seventy Pounds for any Demurrage Flyboat Ally Brown may have upon her which is accepted not only as Mr Stannet [illegible] but of her Owners to give any other, but because he has already paid between us and Owners to [illegible] the Master shall pay the Demurrage at the Warehouse [illegible]

Said Bond accepted

Bombay Castle 16th December 1767

Last Quarters Letter from — That from the President and Council at Fort Marlboro was read the 16th August, serving purposely to give cover to a Duplicate of their Letter of the 17th March last and of another from them Dated to the Honble the Mayor Court relative to the Estate of the late Captn Johnson of the Prince Henry.

Ormes Letter from — Read from Mr James Tibbalds, bearing date the 3d Instant wherein purposely to acquaint us that he had taken on a Hatch for the winter Convoy of the Earl of Chatham the rest remaining from Consignments Pepper at that Place being Bags 333 — 10 cwts to Rupees 37. 11. 4 — The Freight of which he would settle with the Owners of the Vessel.

Military — Signed a Commission appointing Captain Lieut. William Godwin as Captain of Infantry and Lieut. Robert Jackson as Captain Lieutenant upon the 11th Instant

At a Consultation Present

The Honorable Thomas Hodges Esqr President &c.
The Wm Peter Elwin Hirsch Esqr Samuel Swinger
James Rigby, Harrison Hall Baldwin
Benjamin Ferris, " " " " "
Nathanl Slackhouse, James Rutherham Esqrs
Thomas Woodyn at Bonah —

Read and Approved the Consultation of the 11th Instant.

Ord to open the Packet received by the Honble Masters Ship Earl of Chatham intended for and addressed their Commander of the 24th March last &c Papers as per List of the Packet, which being read the Members all gave due attention

Decreed that the necessary orders be immediately issued for loading all the Goods and Merchandize by this Ship, also the Gallegoose.

Consult Mr Joseph to draw a Bond for the security of any Demands that may be made upon him &c

Read a Letter as entered hereafter from Mr Joseph Howard enclosing a Bond, as the only Security he can give for any Demands Hegnor ally Cawn may have upon him, which is accepted, not only as Mr Howard appears to be out of his power to give any other, but because he has already Cash before us an Account come before the Mayor whereby he stands indebted

Bombay Castle 16 December 1767

Read from the President and Council at Fort St. Hartbro was dated the 11th Instant, severally purposely to give cover to a Duplicate of their Letter of the 17th March last, and of another from their Secretary to the Hon'ble the Mayors Court relative to the Estate of the late Captain Thomas of the Prince Henry.

Read from Mr. James Pestbold, bore date the 2d Instant, severally purposely to advise us that he had taken on a Batch Jemmeet under Convoy of the Ship of Chatham the remainder of the Honble Companys Pepper at that Place being 600 Candy 333 & 20 maunds to Rupees 37, 11 ... the Freight of which we would please settle with the Owners of the Vessel.

Signed a Commission appointing Captain Lieutenant William Godwin a Captain of Infantry and an Ensign Robert Jackson as Captain Lieutenant agreeable to our Orders of the 11th Instant.

At a Consultation Present

The Honorable Thomas Hodges Esqr President & Governor
The Hon Peter Elwon Wrench Esqr Daniel Draper
James Bayley, Ramsay Hart Baldwin
Benjamin Jervis, * * * * * * *
Nathanl Hackhouse, Simon Hutchum 2nd Supt
Thomas Woostyne at Broach —

Read and Approved our last Consultation of the 11th Instant.

Red to open the Packet received by our Honble Masters Ship Earl of Chatham which is found to contain their Commands of the 24th March last &c Papers as p List of the Packet, which being read the members all gave due attend

Directed that the necessary orders be immediately given for Landing all the Goods and Merchandize by this Ship. also the Gallygarrow.

Read a Letter as entered hereafter from Mr. Joseph Howard enclosing a Bond, as the only Security he can give for any Demands Honble Company may have upon him, who is recalled, and Sally on Mr. Howard's Covenant is in case of his Power to give Mr. has Executors till have already Cast before us an Account ... Mr. Howard has brought in the Nabob indebted,

Jamaica Castle 16th December 1707

Read from the President and Council at Port Antonio and ordered the Mr. Register, severing purposely to give Credit to a Postscript of their Letter of the 17th March last, one of another from Mess.rs Scott & Hall to the Right Hon.ble the Mayor & Court relative to the Estate of the late Duke of Somerset of the Prince Henry.

Read from Mr. James Tibbald, how dated the 3d Instant & Mr. Register, desiring to advise us that he had taken a Note for £ under Convoy of the Earl of Chatham the sum of the Ships Company Depositor at that Place being Cask 33 & 10 Rolls & Rasp.s 37 Hhds — the Freight of which he would please settle with the Owners of the Effects.

Signed a Commission appointing Captain [illegible] Godwin a Captain of Infantry [illegible] Lieutenant Robert Jackson an Captain Lieutenant [illegible] the 11. Instant.

At a Consultation Present

The Honorable Thomas Hinges Esq.r President &c.
The Hon.ble Peter Dawes Winch Esq.r Samuel Bridges
James Bayley, Benson Hart Buddicum
Benjamin Jervis, * * * * * *
Nathan.l Lascelles, Simon Mathurin Esq.rs
Thomas Wooton at Port Royal —

Read and Ordered that [illegible]

Mr. to open the Packet now at Cap.n Hobbs Masters Ship Earl of Chatham which is directed to Simon Mathurin Esq.r Commander of the 24th March last &c.a Papers in the Letter of the Packet, which being read the Members all gave their Attendance

Directed that the necessary orders be immediately given for loading all the Goods and Merchandize by this Ship & the Gallegymore

Read a Letter on entered hereafter from Mr. Joseph Thomas executing a Bond, as the only Security he can give for any Damages Hanson Alley Esq.r may have upon him, which is accepted, not only as Mr. Thomas is Executor of the Will of his Father but Mr. Alley has Mortgages now been already laid before us on Estate [illegible]

Bombay Castle 29th December 1780

of the 6th Instant by the Buter, with the several [illegible]
ers therin Inclos'd, and that they should follow [illegible]
& her and return her Father as soon as possible. That the Inv[illegible]
Investment we have recommended them should be compleat [illegible]
as far as it lay in their power, but from the present State of
Affairs they could not with any certainty assure [illegible]
should succeed therein. That in Consequence of [illegible]
to them from the Chief and Factors at Anjengo [illegible]
Lack of Rupees, they proposed remaining the[illegible]
due at Cadjeree, and would willingly [illegible]
the Same required, had their Recommendation [illegible]
their Ballances of Cash was Necessary [illegible]
of us a Supply for their own occasions [illegible]
have Drawn a Bond for 20000 Rupees [illegible]
for Payment, but which they had [illegible]
they had mentioned to us in their Letter of the [illegible]
imagined we would draw the same at [illegible]
by private Intelligence received from Anjengo they had [illegible]
Hyder Ally had again entered the Carnatic with a numerous
Army, and that Colonel Smith was [illegible]
have Battle, which was daily expected, and Acquainted us that the
Remains of Anjengo the 8th Instant, was [illegible]
of which Article they therein have remitted us Bill on
bal 1281. 12 5

Wednesday 30. At a Consultation Present.

The Honourable Thomas Rumbold Esqr Chief &c
The Wm Daniel Draper Esq Thomas Boyle
Ranson Bart Boddam Benjamin Jervis
[illegible] Nathaniel Slaughter
Samuel Court at Bengal, and Thomas Mostyn at Cossi
Read and Approved our last Consultation of the 26th Instant.

Likewise the Letter above recorded from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry, by which it appears they are in immediate want of money Ordered therefore that Mr Boyle do [illegible]
30,000 New Rupees be sent thither by the Pinnace, a good [illegible]
with the Pinnace [illegible]

Bombay Castle 29th December 1707

of the 6th Instant by the Bute, with the several Letters & Packets
were mentioned by her, and that they should follow
the and return her hither as soon as possible That the Instructions
Instructions we had transmitted them should be complied with
as far as they lay in their power, tho from the present position of
Affairs they could not with any certainty assure us whether they
should succeed therein. That in consequence of the Application
to them from the Chief and Factors at Anjengo for a supply
Lack of Rupees, they had provided remitting by the Bute 50
due at Cochin, and should with speedy have remitted the whole
the Sum requested, had their Cornucopia amounted to
their Ballances of Cash was then only 20 37[illegible] which was more
of us as Supply for their own occasions They mentioned
their Dethick's Bond for 20000 Rupees had been transmitted them
for Payment, but which they had declined drawing on from what
they had encountered to us on their Address of the 8th Inst and they
imagined we would clear the same at the Presidency, as mentioned to
by private Intelligence received from Anjengo they had Cause to
Hyder Ally had again entered the Carnatick with a numerous
Army, and that Colonel Smith was according to Command to give
him Battle which was daily expected, and acquainted us that the
Remains at Anjengo the 8th Instant was Cash 0[illegible]7. 13. 21 of Pepper
of which Article they themselves had remaining in Warehouse
Cash 1287. 12. 5.

Wednesday 30 At a Consultation Present

The Honourable Thomas Hodges Esqr President & Governor
The W. Daniel Draper Esqr James Ryley
Ranulph Bart Boddam Benjamin Jervis
[illegible] Nathaniel Hackhouse
Samuel Colliet at Bengal, and Thomas Mostyn at Cossimbazar

Read and Approved our last Consultation of the 26th Instant.

Likewise the Letter above extracted from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry, by which it appears they are
in immediate want of Money Ordered therefore that fifty Thousand
[illegible]50,000] New Rupees be sent thither by the Pinnace, as good

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of the 6th Instant to the Duke, with the several [illegible] and that they should follow [illegible] and return her hither as soon as possible. That the last [illegible] we have transmitted them should be employed [illegible] lay on their power, the Grain the Presidt [illegible] Affairs the [illegible] could not with any Certainty assure [illegible] would succeed therein. That in Consequence of [illegible] & Rice from the Chief and Factors at Anjengo [illegible] Cash of Rupees, they proposed remitting the [illegible] several Factors, and would accordingly have [illegible] the Sum requested, had their Circumstances [illegible] their Ballance of Cash was then only [illegible] Rupees as Supply for their own occasions. They [illegible] been Bedrick's Bond for 20000 Rupees had been [illegible] for Payment, but which they had declined [illegible] they had intimated to us in their Address of the [illegible] enquired we would clear the same as the Treasury [illegible] by private Intelligence received from Anjengo they had [illegible] Hyder Ally had again entered the Carnatick with [illegible] Army, and that Colonel Smith was advancing [illegible] here with, which was daily expected; and acquainted us that Remains at Anjengo the 8th Instant was Cash 647 13 11 ½ Pp of which Article they themselves had occasion for Warehouse Cash 1287. 12. 5.

Wednesday 30th

At a Consultation Present.

The Honourable Thomas Hodges Esqr President &c.
The W. Daniel Draper Esqr James Ryley
Ramsay Sam Boddam Benjamin Jervis
Nathaniel Hackhouse
Samuel Court at Bengal, and Thomas Mostyn at Bombay

Read and Approved our last Consultation of the 26th Instant.

Treasurer

Likewise the Letter above extracted from the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry, by which it appears they are in immediate want of Money. Ordered, That fifty thousand [illegible] Rupees be sent them by the Vessell, as good [illegible]

Boundary Commissioners

of the 6th Instant by the Packet with the several
Letters by Lt. and that they should
to her and return for further Instructions
Instructions we had to communicate them to
as far as it lay in their power the Grant the
Affairs they could not with any Convenience
should proceed. However that an Commissary
to them from the Portuguese Settlement
Land of Rupees, they proposed remitting
and at Bombay and would
the Three requisite, how they
their Ballance of Cash was
of us as Security for their
have Debited Bonds for
for Bengal, but altho' they have
they had nominated to us in their Letter
imagined we would clear the
by private Intelligence received from
Hyder Ally had again entered the
Army, and that Colonel Smith with a Body
from Baltic which was daily expected
Remains at Angengo the 8th Instant, we
of which Letter they desired have
Cons 12 Feb. 12 5

Wednesday 30th

At a Consultation Present

The Honble Thomas Mostyn Esqr President
The Wm Daniel Draper Esqr Thomas Ripley
Ranson Barr Boddam Benjamin Jervis
[illegible] Nathaniel Smith
Samuel Court at Bengal and Thomas Mostyn at Bo
Rec and Approved are Cost the
Instructions of the 26th Instant.

Letters rec

Letter from read

Copy to Treasurer

Letters the Letter above mentioned from
the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry, by which it appears they are
in immediate want of Money. Ordered therefore that of the Treasure
30,000 Rupees be sent Letter to the Tellicherry, a proportion

TOTAL EXPOSURES

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

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NO :

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EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

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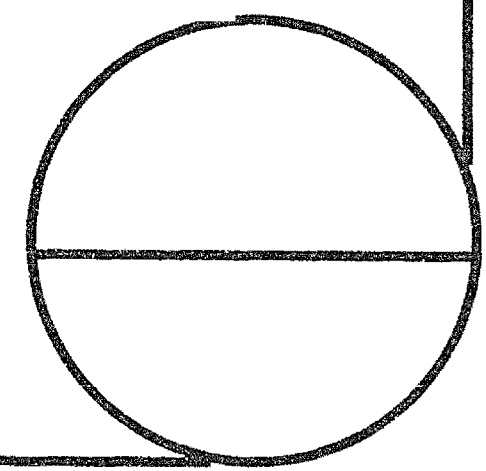

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Invoice of Goods per Ship [illegible]

Quality of the Goods | Lot or Piece Quantity Dimensions &c. | Prices | Amount

Broad Cloth | Gurrumjee Nanoorjee

Scarlet Yellow Green | Bales 2. 2 1/2 Kanoodass Cullianjee

4 } 2 6 1/2 Mulluckchund Nathoo

Bales 2

Scarlet Green | Lalla Lucksmidass

Bales 3 4 — 1/2 Kundundass [illegible]

Mixed Lines | Jeevandjee Nanoorjee

Bales 3. 3. 10 1/2 Nanoodass [illegible]

Scarlet Lines | Pittamber Gocull

Bales 2 6. 13 1/2 Jundundass Nagjee [illegible]

Lalla Lucksmidass

Bales 6. 13. Jogradass Jundundass

Bales 6

Nathoo Samboo.

Bales 4 6. 12 1/2 [illegible]

3 6. 12 1/2 Nanoodass [illegible]

Bales 7

Bhimjee Vellabb

Bales 4 6. 13 Pandoorang Jettanjee

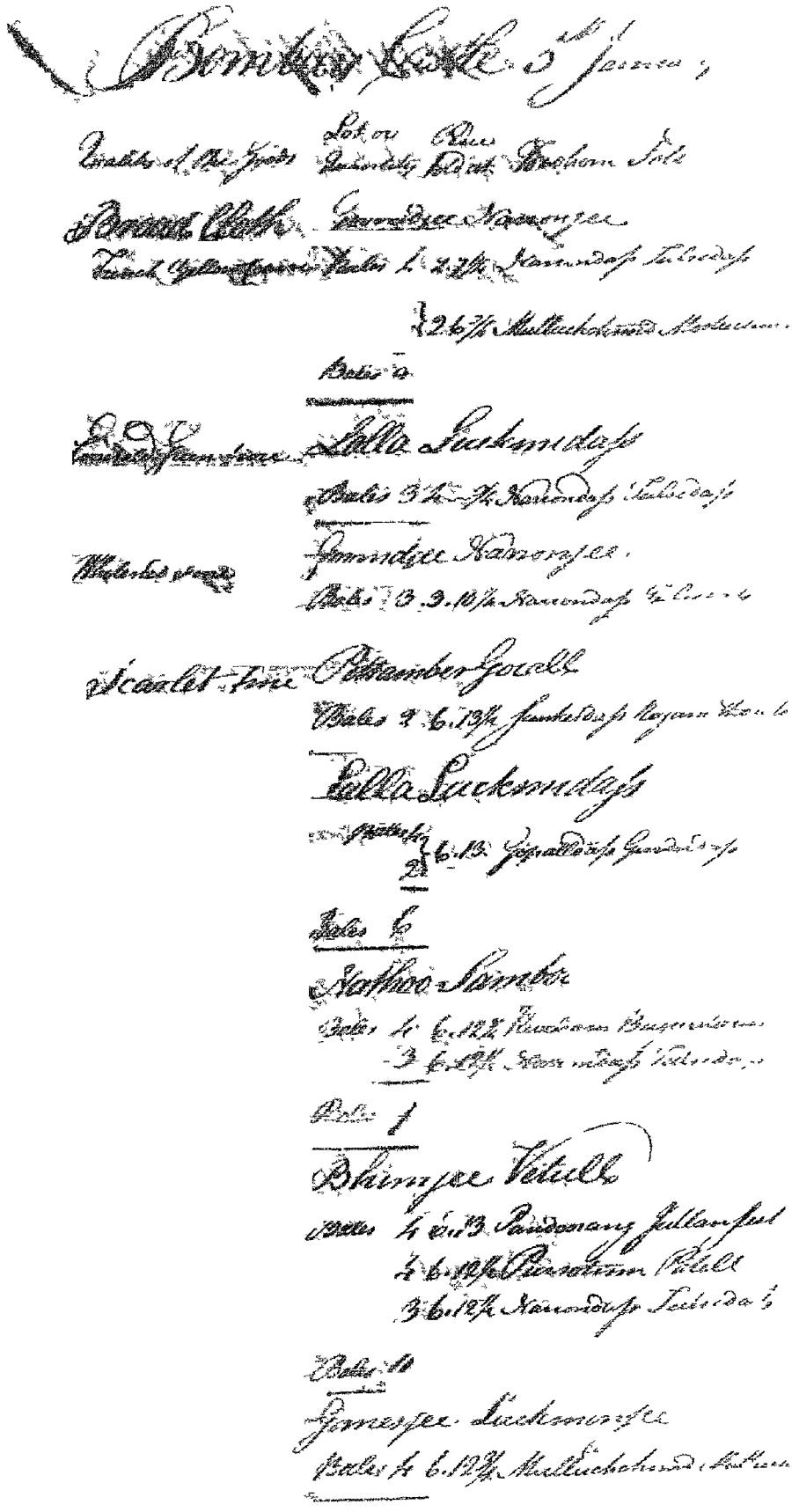
4 6. 12 1/2 Purshotum [illegible]

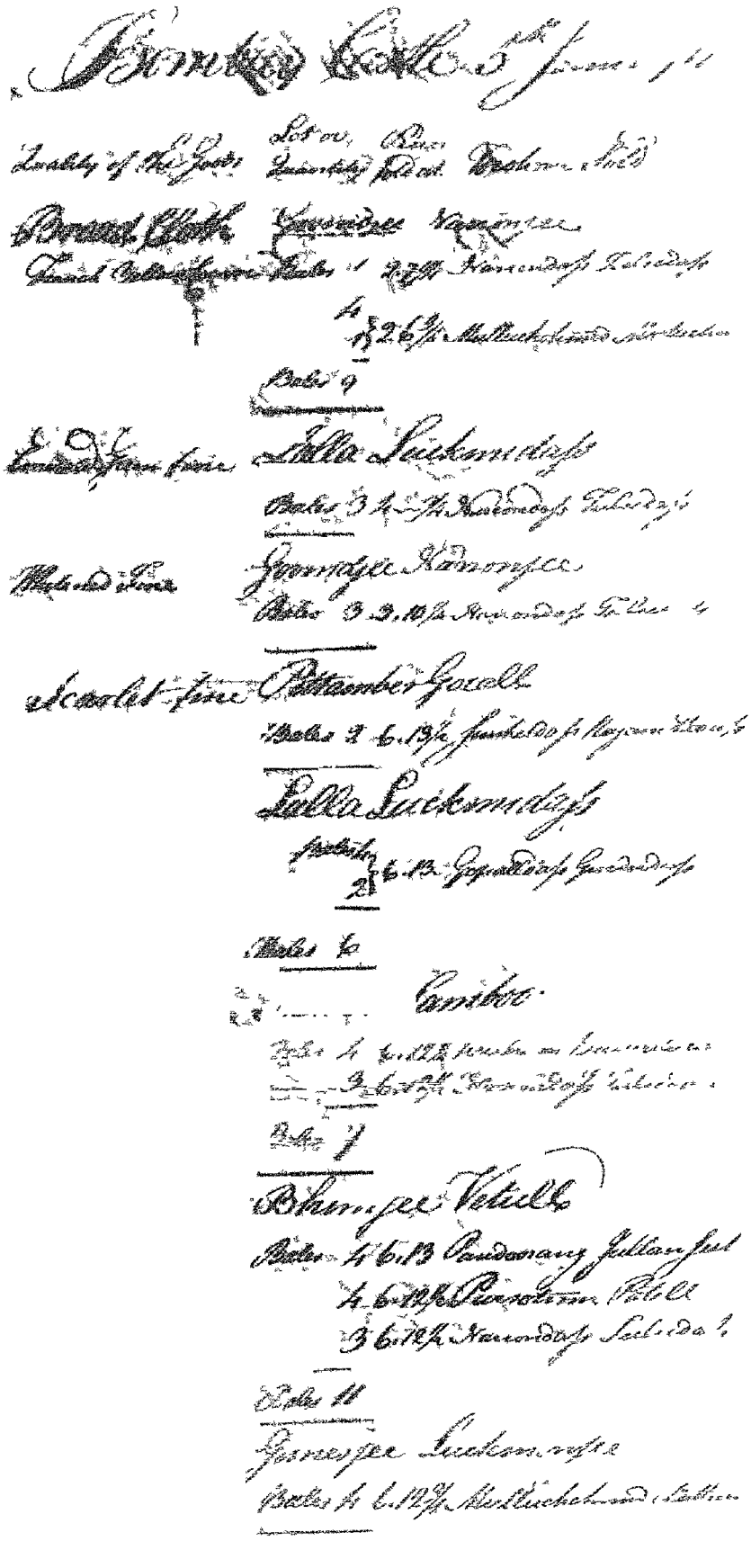
3 6. 12 1/2 Nanoodass Jettanjee

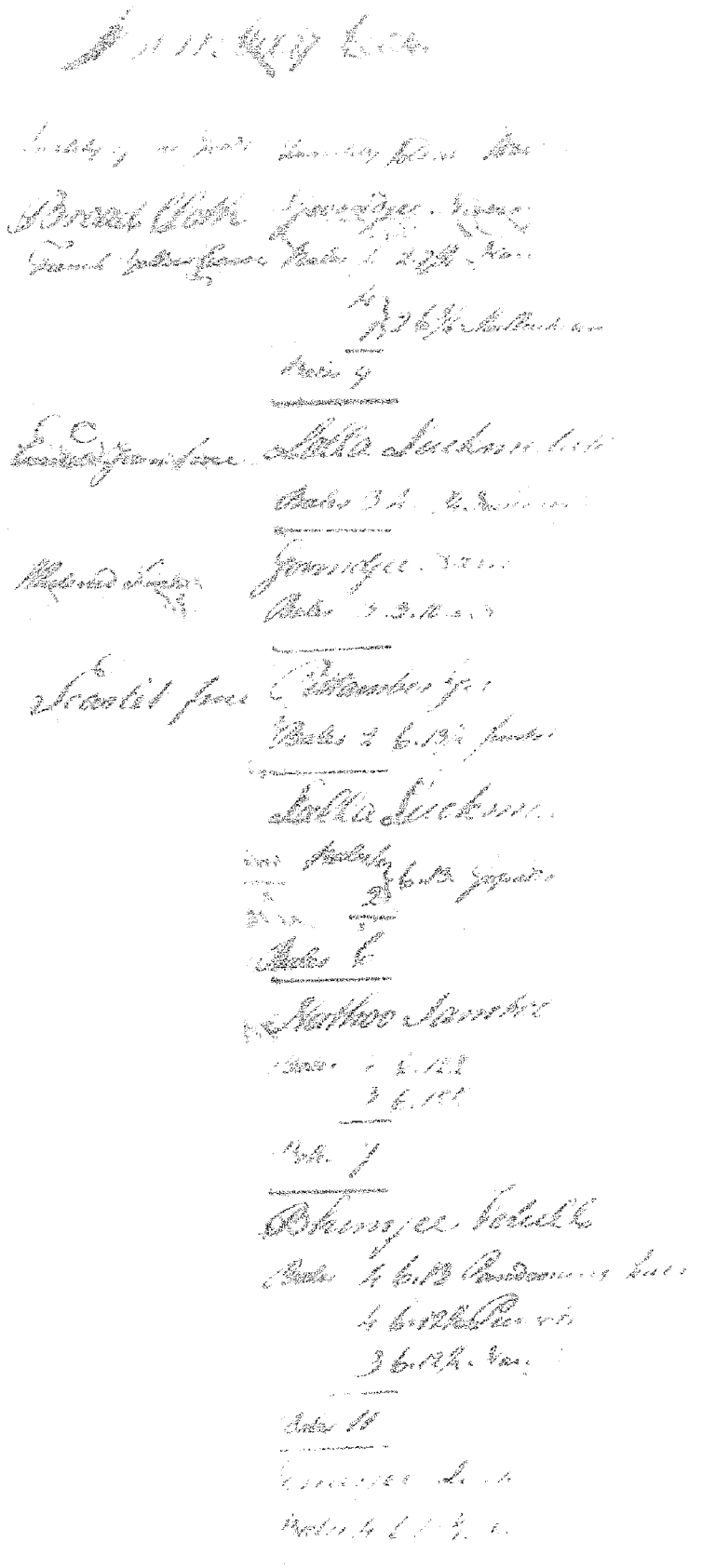
Bales 11

Gurnesjee. Luckmidass.

Bales 4 6. 10 1/2 Mulluckchund [illegible]







Bradley Castle

Bradley of the Fair Isle Quarterly Roll

Broadcloth Jacket Serge

Scarlet Jacket Serge 1/2 2 Yds 12 Inches Flannel

Color 1

Petticoat Serge

Petticoat 4 Yds 12 Inches Flannel

Petticoat Navy Serge

Jacket 1/2 1 Yd 12 Inches Flannel

Color 3

Navy Blue Serge

Color 1/2 2 Yds 12 Inches Drab cloth

Color 6

Yellow Jean — Drawers Serge

Color 4 Yds 12 Inches Scarlet

Petticoat Flannel

Petticoat 1/2 Yds 12 Inches Scarlet Flannel

Color 5

Border Stripe

Color 4 Yds 12 Inches Flannel Jean

Yellow Jean Jacket — Drawers Cashmere

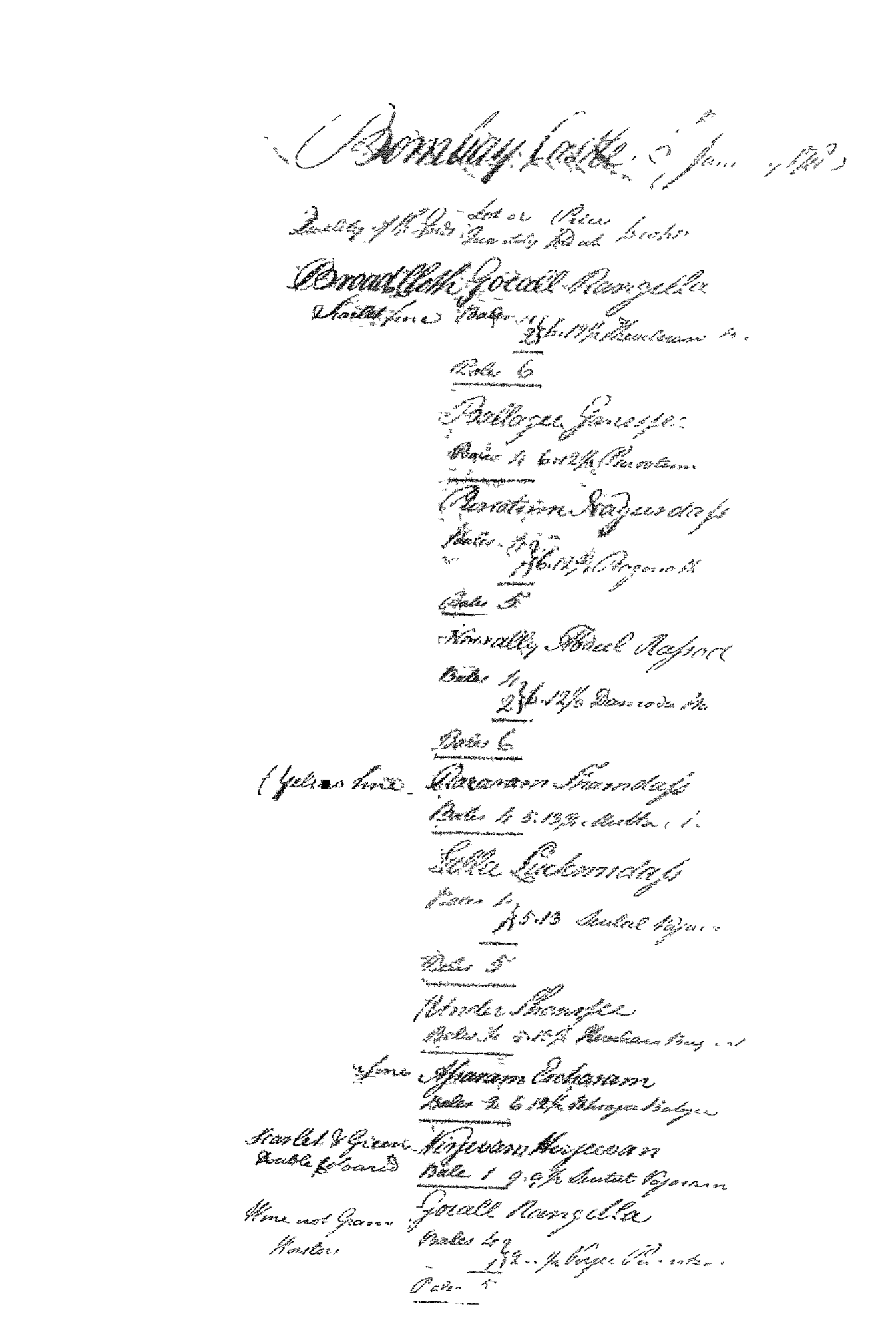
Color 2 Yds 12 Inches Yellow Jean

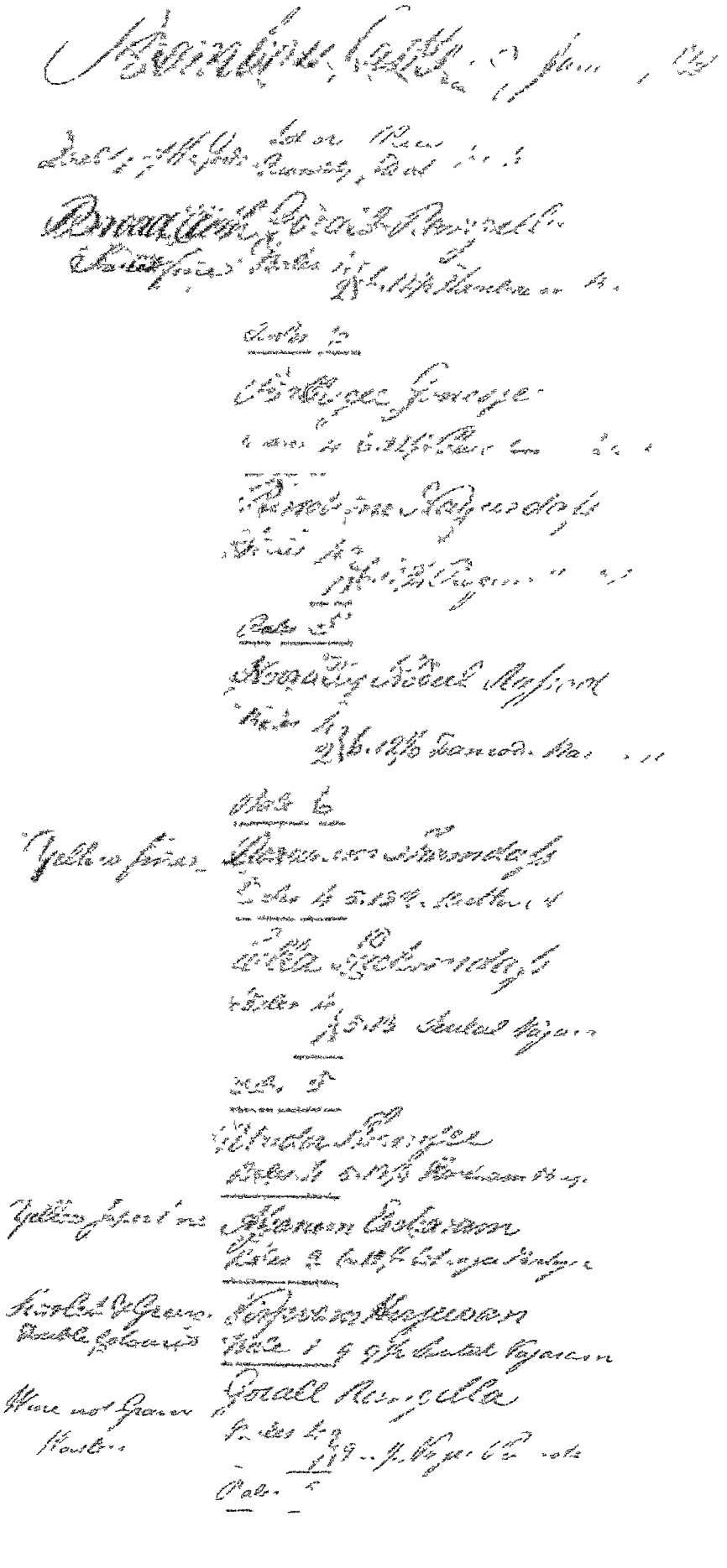
Scarlet & Green Double Colored — Jacket Serge

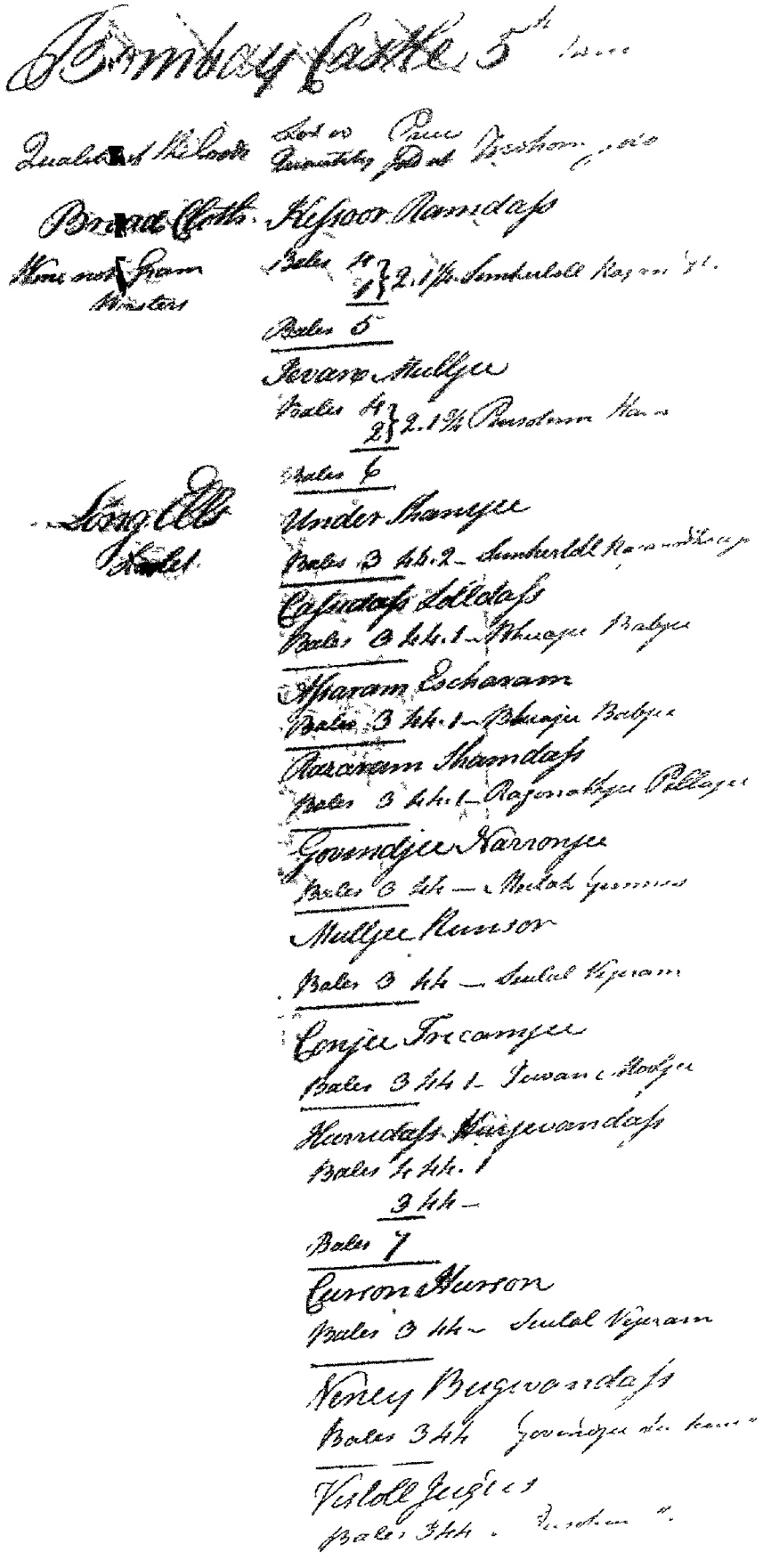
Color 1 Yd 9 Inches Scarlet Flannel

Hose not Given — Garrett Worsted

Color 1/2 Yd Navy







Bombay Castle 5th ....

Quality of Cotton Lot or Pair Quantity Bales Packages Price

Broad Cloth Kupsoor Ramdas

Nine out Gram Bales 4 } 2.1½ Sunkulsett Rayan D.
Hunters 1

Bales 6

Seram Mulgee

Bales 4 } 2.1½ Phantum Ram ..
2

Bales 6

Long Cloth Vinder Thanjee
Sindel

Bales 3 44.2 Sunkulsett Rayan Mulgee

Cafudas Lalldas

Bales 3 44.1 Thugee Babjee

Hiraram Echaram

Bales 3 44.1 Pekunjee Babjee

Narainjee Thamdas

Bales 3 44.1 Rajonathjee Pillajee

Goverdjee Narronjee

Bales 3 44 Madas Gannon

Mulgee Runsor

Bales 3 44 Sunkul Vejeram

Congee Jeevanjee

Bales 3 44.1 Jewan Thajee

Hunridas Thirgewandas

Bales 2 44.1
3 44

Bales 7

Cursondas Runsor

Bales 3 44 Sunkul Vejeram

Nenay Bhugwandas

Bales 3 44 Jeevanjee Sundeen

Vithal Jugjeen

Bales 3 44 ... Pandeen

Bombay Castle 5th January

Quality of the goods Colour Quantity Rate Bottom price

Broad Cloth Kepsoor Ramdas

Vinayak Ramnath Bales No 1 2.1/2 Sunderlall Rajaram & Co...
Master

Bales 5

Jeevan Mulljee

Bales No 2 2.1/2 Purshotam Hari ...

Bales 2

Long Cloth Nindar Shamjee
Broad

Bales 3 44.2 Sunderlall Rajaram & Co

Cassimbhoy Lallobhoy

Bales 3 44.1 Bhaugee Madjee

Ajaram Acharam

Bales 3 44.1 Bhaugee Madjee

Purushotam Shamdas

Bales 3 44.1 Rajaram Bhaugee Bhaugee

Gowindjee Narrongee

Bales 3 44 Mulchand Gowindjee

Mulljee Nunoor

Bales 3 44 Sulal Vijeram

Cowjee Jeecamjee

Bales 3 44.1 Jeevan Mulljee

Keeneedas Mulgowandas

Bales 3 44.1

3 44

Bales 7

Currimbhoy Hussun

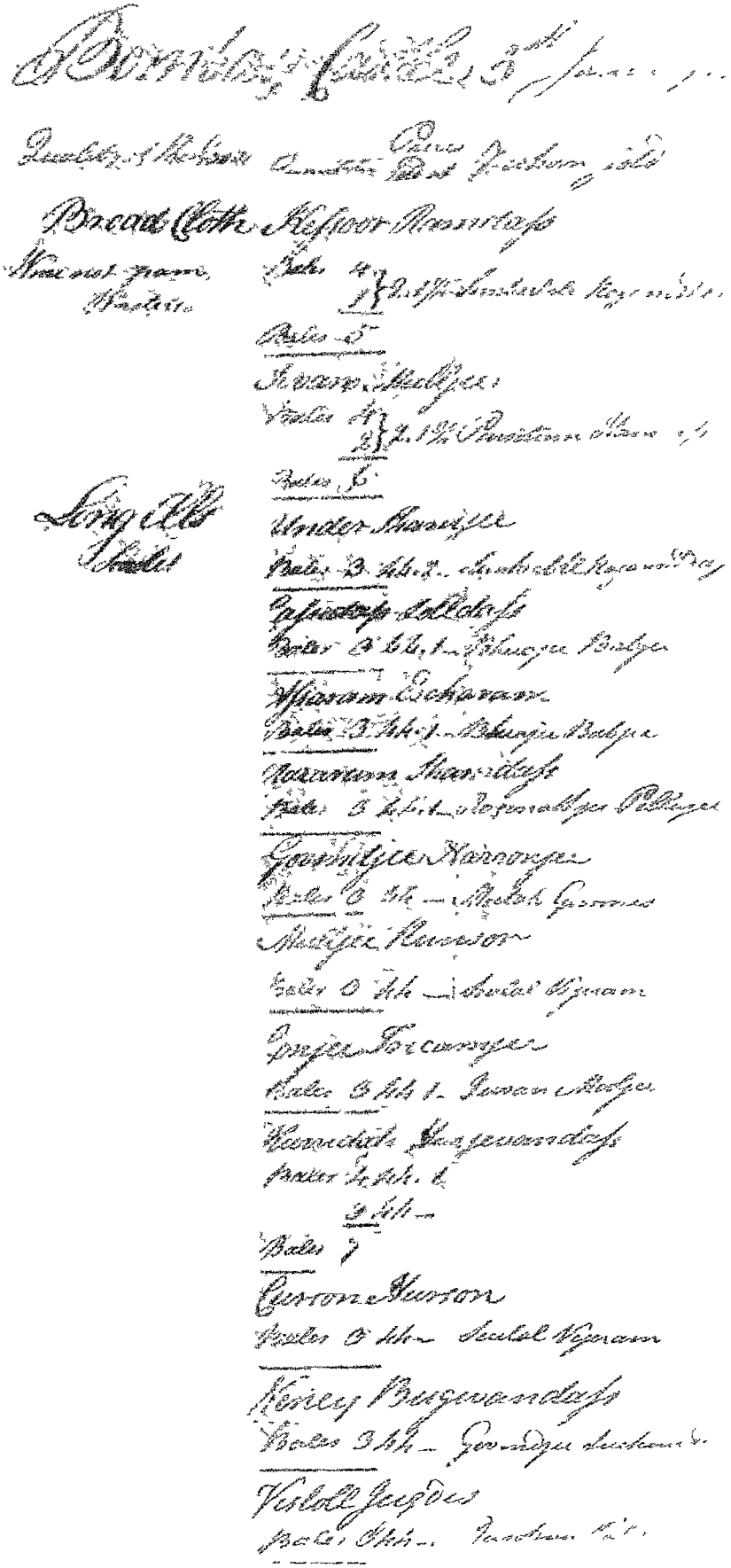
Bales 3 44 Sulal Vijeram

Money Bugwandas

Bales 3 44 Gowindjee Dustoor &c.

Vishold Jagjees

Bales 3 44 Purshotam Hari ...



Bombay Cutch

Locality of the Goods — Quantity &c

Longcloths — Tomdjee Nowrojee
Jamsetjee — Bales 3/44 Narrow
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Lambodar Keshoor
Bales 3/44

Mooljee Mulji

Bales 6

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Bombay, Castle 5 Jan.

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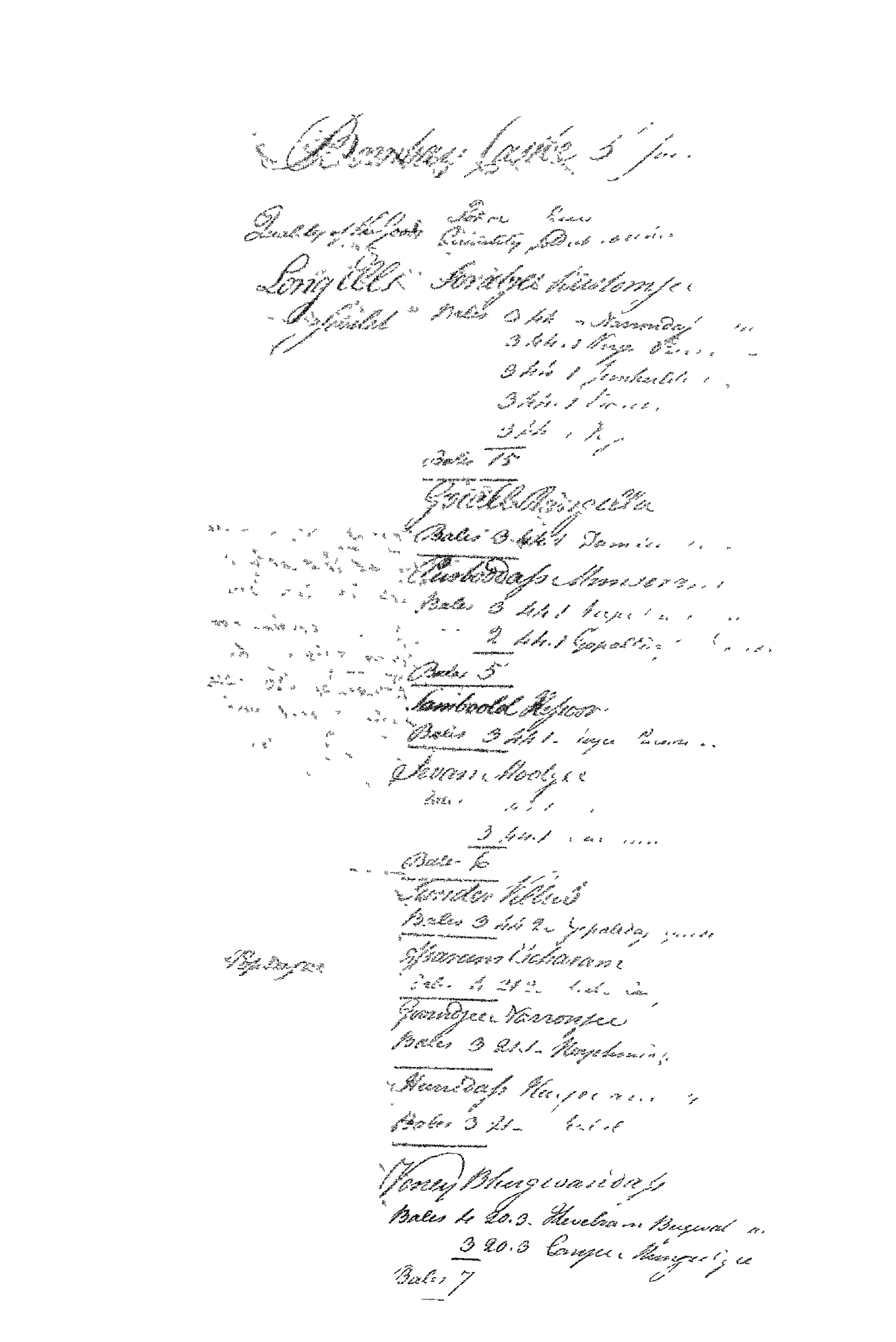

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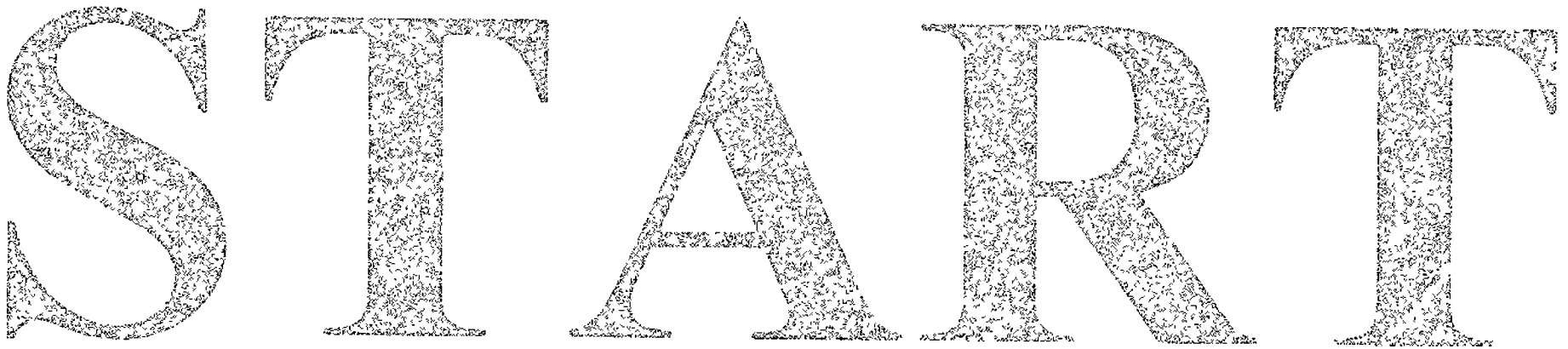
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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD : PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

NO : 103

YEAR : 1792

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

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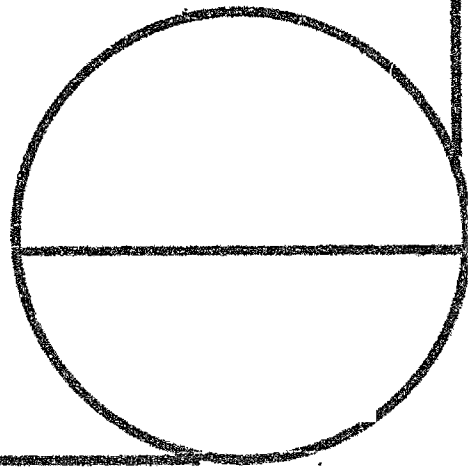

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Public Department

Diary

No - 103 - Part-I

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Bombay Castle 6th November 179

Petition into consideration,

We think the proceedings of the Court of Inquiry respecting the [illegible] of the Syrang of the Northumberland Bomb[illegible] are irregular. the Court not having given [illegible] who are thereby censured, for their [illegible]

Bombay Castle
6th Nov 179[illegible]

We are
Gentlemen,
your most [illegible]
Robert [illegible]

Daniel [illegible]
W[illegible] Ste[illegible]

Wednesday 7th Signed letters to the Bengal Commissioners and to the Chief and Select at Tellicherry

Madras Cast — To
Letter to the Com[illegible]
William Gerard Tarrant Esq.
Mr Commissioners for settling the [illegible] part of
Carnatic Country

Gentlemen

We are to acknowledge [illegible]
of your letter of this department, dated the 11th inst.
[illegible] with their several accompaniments

The Bill of Exchange for
amount in favor of Mr Augustus Innes for Rupees
[illegible] 16 has been accepted
and [illegible] Signed Surgeons [illegible]

Bombay Castle 6th November 1792

Petition vide consideration,

We think the proceedings of the Court of Enquiry respecting the conduct of the Lyrang of the Lieutenant Armed Boat are very irregular the Court not having power on principles they are therefore returned for that purpose

Bombay Castle
6th Nov.r 1792.

We are
Gentlemen
your most obedt. Hble
Robert Abercrombie

Daniel Elliott
Wm Lewis

Wednesday 7th Signed letters to the Malabar Commissioners and to the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry

Malabar Coast—
Ltr to the Com
missioners

To
William Gerard Farmer Esqr.
&c Commissioners for settling the affairs of the
Malabar Country

Gentlemen

We are to acknowledge receipt of your letters in this department dated the 15th and ultimo with their several accompaniments

The Bill of Exchange you granted in favor of Mr Miguel de Souza for Rupees 12022 / 16 has been accepted

At your request Surveyors will be

123

Bombay Castle 6th November 1792.

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Petition onto consideration

We think the proceedings of the Court of Enquiry respecting the conduct of the Lyrong of the Merchant Vessel Boat are very irregular, the Court not having given any opinion they are therefore returned for that purpose

We are

Bombay Castle
6th Nov. 1792

Gentlemen
Your most obedient humble
Servants
Robert Abercrombie

Daniel Sutherland
Wm Sears

Wednesday 7th Signed letters to the Malabar Commissioners and to the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry

Malabar Coast — Letter to the Commissioners

To
William Gamul Farmer Esqr
&c. Commissioners for settling the ceded part of the
Malabar Country

Gentlemen

We are to acknowledge receipt of your letters in this department dated the 5th and 15th ultimo with their several accompaniments

The bill of Exchange you granted in favor of Mr Miguel de Souza for Rupees 42,000 / 00 has been accepted

At your Agent Surveyors will be

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Bombay Castle 8th December 1792.

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Petition and consideration

We think the proceedings of the Court of Inquiry respecting the conduct of the Serangs of the Protector Armed Boat are very irregular, the Court not having power and powers they are therefore returned for that purpose

Bombay Castle
6th Nov. 1792.

We are
Gentlemen,
your most obedient Servants
Robert Abercrombie

Daniel Parker
Wm Lewis

Signed Letters to the Malabar Commissioners and to the Chief and Factors at Tellicherry

Malabar Coast
Letter to the Commissioners

To
William Samuel Farmer Esqr.
&c. Commissioners for settling the ceded part of the
Malabar Country

Gentlemen

We are to acknowledge receipt of your Letters in this department dated the 4th and 18th ultimo with their several accompaniments

The Bill of Exchange you granted in favor of Mr. Miguel de Souza for Pagos. 51000 / 86. has been accepted

At your Request Surveyors and &c.

Bombay Castle 4th November 17

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shortly sent down the [illegible]
President will write to Lyons [illegible]
your Appointment and Salary
are empowered to [illegible]
all the Horrible Company [illegible]
Coast

We have rec[illegible]
your Letter No. 5 [illegible]
London by Lyons and [illegible]
entire approbation of your [illegible]

Bombay Castle [illegible]
4th November 1799

Gentlemen
Your most obedient
Humble
Servants

[illegible]
[illegible]

Tellicherry — 4th
Recd 6

Robert Taylor Esq
Chief & Select
Tellicherry

Gentlemen

We have received your several
letters on this department dated the 1st 2nd 3rd
September and 4th ultimo

The usual Certificates have been
granted

Bombay Castle 4th November 1797

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shortly sent down the Court and the Hon.ble President will write to Signor Baltazzi recommending your appointment and acquainting him that you are empowered to correspond with him on the subject of all the Honble Company's affairs in the Persian Gulf

We have much pleasure in forwarding you Extract of a Letter received from the Governor General relative to your entire approbation of your conduct

Bombay Castle We are
4th November 1797 Gentlemen
your most obedient humble servants
Robert Abercrombie
Samuel Crichton
William Page

Selections — No 6

To
Robert Taylor Esq
Chief &c Factors
Jeddah

Gentlemen

We have received your several advices on this department dated the 1st 15th and 25th September and 9th ultimo

The usual Certificates have been granted

Bombay Castle 7th November 1792

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shortly sent down the Court, and the Honble the President will write to Tippoo Sultan announcing your appointment and acquaint him that you are empowered to correspond with him respecting all the Honble Companys concerns on the Malabar Coast

We have much pleasure in conveying you Extract of a Letter recently received from the Lordship the Governor General expressive of his entire approbation of your Conduct

Bombay Castle 7th Nov 1792

We are
Gentlemen
your most obedient humble Servants
Robert Abercrombie
Daniel Grokatt
William Lewis

Tellicherry — 16
Letter to

Robert Taylor Esqr
Chief &c Tastors at Tellicherry

Gentlemen

We have received your several advices in this department dated the 1st 18th and 25th September and 9th ultimo

The usual Certificates have been

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Bombay Castle 1st November 1792

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We have much pleasure in conveying you Extract of a Letter recently received from the Secret Committee the Governor General expressive of his entire approbation of your Conduct

Bombay Castle We are
1st Nov. 1792

Gentlemen
your most obedient humble Servants
Robert Abercrombie

Daniel Crokatt
William Lewis

Letter J — No

Robert Taylor Esq
Chief & Factors at Tellicherry

Gentlemen

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Bombay Castle 4th November 1791

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We have much pleasure in enclosing you Extract of a Letter recently received from the Secretary the Governor General expressive of his entire approbation of your Conduct.

Bombay Castle We are
4th Nov. 1791. Gentlemen
your most obedient humble Servants
Robert Abercrombie
Daniel Crokatt
William Lens

Tellicherry — 56
Letter 6

Robert Taylor Esqr
Chief &c. Factors at Tellicherry

Gentlemen

We have received your several advices on this department dated the 1st 10th and 25th September and 9th ultimo

The usual Certificates have been

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DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA, MUMBAI.

NAME OF RECORD :

NO :

YEAR :

EXPOSED BY : ANIL SAWANT

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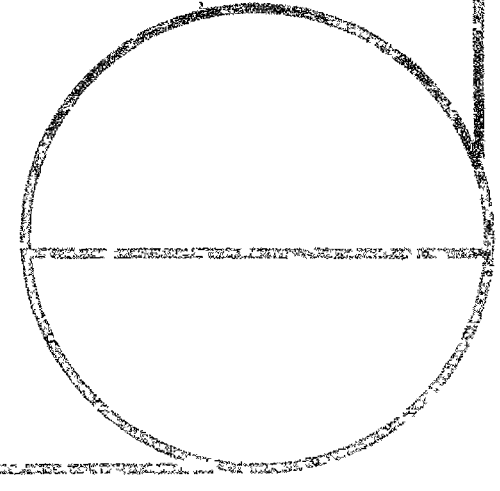

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1942-43 File No. 1110 (5)

Home DEPARTMENT

Special BRANCH (5)

Subject:—

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(a) Note on the re-organisation of the [illegible]

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1942-43 File No. 1110 (5)

Home DEPARTMENT

Special BRANCH (5)

Subject:—

CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE MOVEMENT, 1942.

TROOPS.

(1) Request to Commander, Bombay Defence Port Area, to send troops to Bardoli and Surat as soon as the All India Congress Committee decided to start a mass civil disobedience movement.

(2) Instructions to District Magistrates, Ahmedabad and Kaira, as to the authority to whom they should apply if they require troops.

(3) Instructions to District Magistrates to send to the Inspector General of Police immediate intimation of applications for the movements of troops in and out of their districts.

(4) Procedure to be followed for posting troops at local points in case of deterioration of the political situation.

(5) Note on the legal position of troops in respect of acts which may be done by them in support of the police in Belgaum and Dharwar Districts.

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Subject:—

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Home DEPARTMENT

Special BRANCH (5)

Subject:—

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CIVIL RIOTS - [illegible] June, 1942.

TROOPS.

(1) Request to Commander, Bombay Defence Force [illegible] troops to Karachi [illegible] as to the Indian Express Co. strike [illegible] assistance rendered.

(2) Instructions to Collector, Ahmedabad, [illegible] fair, as to [illegible] authority to call [illegible] troops.

(3) [illegible] to the Director of Intelligence to send to [illegible] General of Police immediate information [illegible] for [illegible] movements of troops in aid [illegible].

(4) [illegible] information [illegible] local [illegible] Central Government [illegible] political [illegible].

(5) Note on the legal position of troops in respect of acts which may be done by them in support of the police in Belgaum and Dharwar Districts.

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Letters re. DM. Aswad & Kairo

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Should
Alexandria or Kairo,
If D.M. wants nursing aid he should apply direct to O.C. station Abadieh, informing Govt & the Commr Inlow Area, at the same time.

The D.M. Kairo should inform Dr. Abadieh, if he makes any such request.

If either requires further help, which would have to come from Kairo he should apply to the Commander Inlow Area, informing Govt & the other D.M at the same time

The Com[r] N.D should be informed in all cases where there is not time for previous consultation.

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2. Troops arriving in either place will bring their own rations, but D.M must arrange for water transport & petrol for use at the station.

3 Accommodation may be necessary but letter for the DM to decide

C.O.S. (M)

Admiralty or Navy

If D. M. wants military aid he should apply direct to O C Station Abad'd, informing Govt & the Commander Indus Area, at the same time

The D M Navy should inform DM, Abad'd, if he makes any such request

If either requires further help, which would have to come from Navy he should apply to the Commander Indus Area, informing Govt & the other D M at the same time

The Com N D should be informed in all cases where there is [illegible]

MOST SECRET.

D.O. No. S.D.V/-11 7.
Home Department (Special).
Bombay, 5th August- 1942.

I enclose an official request asking you to send troops to Nandoli and Surat, if the decision of the All India Congress Committee is to ratify the Working Committee's resolution.

I understand that His Excellency discussed the matter with you this morning and that you agreed to send one Company of an Indian Regiment to each place.

District Magistrate, Surat, has been ordered to arrange accommodation for the troops, who should have their own rations with them.

I will keep you informed of the progress of the All India Congress Committee meeting and will let you know at once when it is necessary to send off the troops.

Brigadier C.E.A.G. Allen, D.S.O.,
Commander, Bombay Defended Port Area.

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Yours

Brigadier [illegible], M.C.,
Commander, Bombay Defended Port Area.

MOST SECRET.

D.O. No. S.D.V/- 11

Home Department (Special).

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Commander, Bombay Defended Port Area.

MOST

MOST SECRET.
Demi-official

No. S.D.V/-1
Home Department (Special).
Bombay, 5th August 1942.

Copies forwarded to:-

The Commissioner, Northern Division,
The District Magistrate, Surat.

Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Home Department.

4.8.42

MOST SECRET. No. B.D.V/4.10.
Home Deptt. (Poll.).
B.C., 5th August 1942.

To

The Commander,
Bombay Defended Port Area,
Bombay.

Sir,

I am directed to state that the Congress Working Committee's resolution demanding the withdrawal of British rule in India and threatening, in the alternative, a mass c.d.c. movement, will be placed for ratification before the meeting of the A.I.C.C. which is proposed to be held in Bombay City from the 7th instant. ~~and is requested that,~~ As soon as the resolution is ratified by the A.I.C.C., troops should be sent to Surat and

Bardoli

MOST SECRET.
Demi-official.

No. S.D.V/-12
Home Department (Special).
Bombay, 5th August 1942.

Copies forwarded to:-

The Commissioner, Northern Division,
The District Magistrate, Surat.

Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Home Department.

4.8.42

MOST SECRET.

No. S.D.V/-10
Home Deptt. (Poll.).
B.C., 5-8 August 1942.

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Demi-official.

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Home Department (special).
Bombay, 5th August 1942.

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The District Magistrate, Surat.

Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Home Department.

MOST SECRET.

No. S.D.V/- 10
Home Deptt. (Poll.).
B.C., 5th August 1942.

To

The Commander,
Bombay Defended Port Area,
Bombay.

Sir,

I am directed to [illegible] the Congress Working Committee's resolution [illegible] the withdrawal of [illegible] and threatening, the Government view, [illegible] will be [illegible] the best [illegible] the [illegible] Bombay, [illegible] and replace that, [illegible]

P. Note.

Below a copy of a note recorded in the Home Department of the Secretariat.

If District Magistrate, Ahmedabad or Kaira, wants military aid he should apply direct to Officer Commanding Station, Ahmedabad, informing Government and the Commander, Mhow Area, at the same time.

The District Magistrate, Kaira, should inform District Magistrate, Ahmedabad, if he makes any such request.

If either requires further help, which would have to come from Baroda, he should apply to the Commander, Mhow Area, informing Government and the other District Magistrate at the same time.

The Commissioner, Northern Division, should be informed in all cases where there is not time for previous consultation.

2. Troops arriving in either place will bring their own rations, but District Magistrate must arrange for motor transport and petrol at the station.

3. Accommodation may be necessary but this is for the District Magistrate to decide.

MOST SECRET.

No. [illegible].D.V/- 3
Home Department (Political).
Bombay Castle, 5th August 1942.

Copies forwarded with compliments to.-

The District Magistrate, Ahmedabad,
The District Magistrate, Kaira,
) for necessary action.

The Commissioner, Northern Division,
The Officer Commanding Station, Ahmedabad,
Headquarters, Mhow (Inde[illegible] Area,
) for information.

By order of the Governor of Bombay,

[illegible]
Secretary to Government,
Home Department.

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MOST SECRET.

No. S.D.V/- 13
Home Department (Political).
Bombay Castle, 5th August 1942.

To ... as forwarded with compliments to:-

The District Magistrate, Ahmedabad,	for necessary action.
The District Magistrate, Kaira,	
The Commissioner, Northern Division,	for information.
The Officer Commanding Station, Ahmedabad,	
Headquarters, Mhow (Independent) Area,	

By order of the Governor of Bombay,

Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Home Department.

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I have, etc.,

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Home Department (Political).
Bombay Castle, 5th August 1942.

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By order of the Governor of Bombay,

Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Home Department.

Bardoli. as a precautionary measure.

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HOME SECRET.

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Home Department (Political).
Bombay Castle, 5 August 1942.

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The Commissioner, Northern Division,
The Officer Commanding Station, Ahmedabad,
Headquarters, Khow (Independent) Area,
) for information.

By order of the Governor of Bombay,

Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Home Department.

I'd P would like to be informed of any movements of troops in this district, especially in the Lahad Bunga area, in the light of the Tapin, as he may wish to put Rama under DLP defendant.

C.H.D. 28/8/69.

H.D.

H.D. (Special)(S).

A draft circular is submitted for approval.

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27/8

IGP would like to be informed of any movements of troops in and through Kurdistan especially in the Sulaimaniya area, in view of the Mahsud, as he has already stated at Peshawar and to DEP reports.

C&W. 28/8/42.

HT

HD (Special)(S).

A draft answer is submitted for approval

[signature]
27.8.42

IGP would like to be informed of any movements of troops in and out of the area, especially in the Kilkenny Brigade area, in so far as the Police, as he knows only too well from Roma incident a DEP responsibility.

CPO. 20/8/72.

HD (Special) :

A draft answer is submitted for approval

S E C R E T.

No. S.D.V/- 483

Home Department (Special).
Bombay Castle, 28th August 1942.

C I R C U L A R.

District Magistrates are requested to send to the I.G. of Police, Prov. of Bombay, immediate intimation of requisitions for and movements of troops in aid of the civil power in their respective jurisdictions.

Secy. to the Govt. of Bombay,
Home Department.

To

All District Magistrates.

Copies to:-

Headquarters, Bombay District, Poona.
Head quarters, Mhow (Independent) Area.
Headquarters, Bombay Defended Port Area.
Head Quarters, Poona Area.
Officer Commanding Station, Ahmedabad.
Officer Commanding Station, Belgaum.
Officer Commanding Station, Ahmednagar.
Officer Commanding Station, Deolali.
Officer Commanding Station, Baroda.
~~Officer Commanding Station, Ahmedabad~~
The Comrs. of Divisions.
The I.G. of Police, Prov. of Bombay.

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Secret. HOME DEPARTMENT (SPECIAL).
Reg. No. S.D.V/- 1138
Date 31.8.42

No.
Jalgaon, 29th August 1942.

From,
J. M. Corin, Esquire, I.C.S.,
District Magistrate, East Khandesh.

To,
The Inspector General of Police,
Bombay Province, Poona.

Reference : Secret Circular No.S.D.V.433 of 28th August 1942 from Home Department (Political).

The troops sent to this district in aid to the Civil power have now all been withdrawn or diverted to Railway security work. The detachment previously at Amalner has been withdrawn to Dhulia, but is staying now for a few days longer at my request in order to be at hand should reactions to its departure from Amalner occur in the next few days.

Sd/- J.M.Corin.

District Magistrate, East Khandesh.

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Reference : Secret Circular No.S.D.V.423 of 28th August 1942 from Home Department (Political).

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1. Bombay City	...	2 Battalions	...	Bombay
2. Ahmedabad City and District.	...	2 Battalions	...	Ahmedabad
3. Kaira District.	...	2 Companies	...	Anand.
4. Surat District.	...	2 Companies	...	Surat and Bardoli.
5. Poona.	...	Sufficient force for the scheme already decided on between Area and local officers.	...	Poona.
6. Ahmednagar.	...	One company to maintain the security of the Fort.	...	Ahmednagar.
7. Belgaum	...	1 Battalion.	...	Belgaum.

B. Second Priority.		Most desirable.		
1. Bombay City	...	1 more battalion	...	Bombay.
2. Dharwar District	...	1 Battalion	...	Dharwar.
3. Satara District	...	1 Battalion	...	Karad.
4. Poona District	...	1 Battalion	...	Poona.
5. Sholapur District	...	1 Battalion	...	Sholapur
6. West Khandesh District	...	2 Companies	...	Dhulia
7. East Khandesh District	...	2 Companies	...	Jalgaon
8. Nasik	...	2 Companies	...	Deolali

C. Third Priority. Place.	Desirable precaution. Equivalent of	Suggested location.	Alternative suggestion.
1. Thana District	2 Companies.	Kalyan and Dahanu	Could be found from B.1
2. Kolaba District	1 Company.	...	Mobile Detachment from B.4.
3. Ratnagiri District	1 Company.	...	Mobile Detachment from B.3.
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5. Panch Mahals District	1 or 2 Companies	...	Mobile Detachment from B.2
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6.Ahmednagar	One Battalion including one Company for protection of Fort.		Poona Area and 2 Division.	From 2 Division.
7.Belgaum	One Battalion	BELGAUM	Poona Area.	10 Maharatta Light Infantry.
8.Satara District.	One Battalion	KARAD.	Poona Area.	From 32 Division.

PRIORITY B. MOST DESIRABLE.

1.Bombay	One Battalion additional to A.1.	BOMBAY	Bombay Defended Port Area.	From 2 Division.
2.Dharwar District	One Battalion	DHARWAR	Poona Area.	From 32 Division
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4.Sholapur District.	One Battalion.	SHOLAPUR	Poona Area.	From 2 Division.
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2.Dharwar District	One Battalion	DHARWAR	Poona Area.	From 32 Division.
3.Poona District	One Battalion additional to ... 5.	POONA	Poona Area.	From 2 Division.
4.Sholapur District.	One Battalion.	SHOLAPUR	Poona Area.	From 2 Division.
5.West Khandesh District.	Two Companies.	DHULIA.	Deolali Area.	From General Head quarters Base Com
6.East Khandesh District	Two Companies.	... GAON	Deolali Area.	From General Head quarters Base Com

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PRIORITY A. ESSENTIAL MINIMUM.

Area or District.	Troops Required.	Location.	Found from.	Remarks.
1.Bombay City	Two Battalions	BOMBAY	Bombay Defended Port Area.	One from 2 Division.
2.Ahmedabad City and District.	Two Battalions	AHMEDABAD	Bombay Defended Port Area.	One from 2 Division.
3.Kaira District.	Two Companies.	ANAND	Bombay Defended Port Area.	From 2 Division.
4.Surat District.	Two Companies.	SURAT AND BARDOLI.	Bombay Defended Port Area.	From Bombay Defended Port Area.
5.Poona	As in Poona Area Internal Security Scheme plus one Company for protection of Aga Khan's Palace.			From Poona Area and 2 Division.
6.Ahmednagar	One Battalion including one Company for protection of Fort.		Poona Area.	From 2 Division
7.Belgaum	One Battalion	BELGAUM	Poona Area.	10 Mahratta Light Infantry.
8.Satara District.	One Battalion	KARAD.	Poona Area.	From 32 Division

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5.West Khandesh District.	Two Companies.	DHULIA.	Deolali Area.	From General Headquarters Base Camp
6.East Khandesh District.	Two Companies.	JALGAON	Deolali Area.	From General Headquarters Base Camp

PRIORITY B.	MOST DESIRABLE.			
Area or District.	Troops Required.	Location.	Found from.	Remarks.
7.Nasik	Two Companies.	DEOLALI.	Deolali Area.	From General Headquarters Base Camp.
PRIORITY C.	**DESIRABLE PRECAUTION.**			
1.Thana District.	Two Companies.	KALYAN AND PALGHAR.	Bombay Defended Port Area.	From A.1 or B.1,
2.Kolaba District.	One Company.	-	Poona Area.	If in Southern portion of District, Mobile Detachment from B.3.
			Bombay Defended Port Area.	If in Northern portion, Mobile Detachment from B.1.
3.Ratnagiri District.	One Company.	-	Poona Area.	Mobile Detachment from A.8.
4.Bijapur District.	One Company.	-	Poona Area.	Mobile Detachment from B.4 or A.7.
5.Kanara District.	One Company.	-	Poona Area.	Mobile Detachment from B.2.
6.Broach District.	One Company.	JAMBUSAR.	Bombay Defended Port Area.	Probably from Battalion of 2 Divisions, which may be based at Baroda.
7.Panch Mahals District.	One Company.	GODHRA.	Bombay Defended Port Area.	[redacted].

SECRET. EXPRESS LETTER.

No.S.D.II/-290. Bombay, 2nd February 1943.

To

All District Magistrates,
The Commissioner of Police, Bombay.

Copies to:-

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Priority C. Desirable Precaution.

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Bombay Special.

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for Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Home Department.

PRIORITY B. MOST DESIRABLE.

Area or District.	Troops Required.	Location.	Source from.	Remarks.
7.Nasik	Two Companies.	BOMBAY.	As available.	From General Headquarters Base Camp.

PRIORITY C. DESIRABLE PRECAUTION.

1.Thana District.	Two Companies.	KALYAN and BHIWANDI.	By detached Battalions.	From B.1,
2.Kolaba District.	One Company.	-	As available.	If in Southern portion, Poona District, Mobile Detachment from B.3.
			By detached Battalions.	If in Northern portion, Mobile Detachment from B.1.
3.Thana District.	One Company.	-	As available.	Mobile Detachment from No.8.
4.Bijapur District.	One Company.	-	As available.	Mobile Detachment from B.4 or No.7.
5.Kaira District.	One Company.	-	As available.	Mobile Detachment from B.2.
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SECRET.

2/1/G
107 Brigade Area
C/o 21 Adv S.P.O
23 March 1943

Secretary to the Govt. of Bombay,
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Note on the legal position of troops in respect of acts which may be done by them in support of the police in Belgaum and Dharwar Districts.

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